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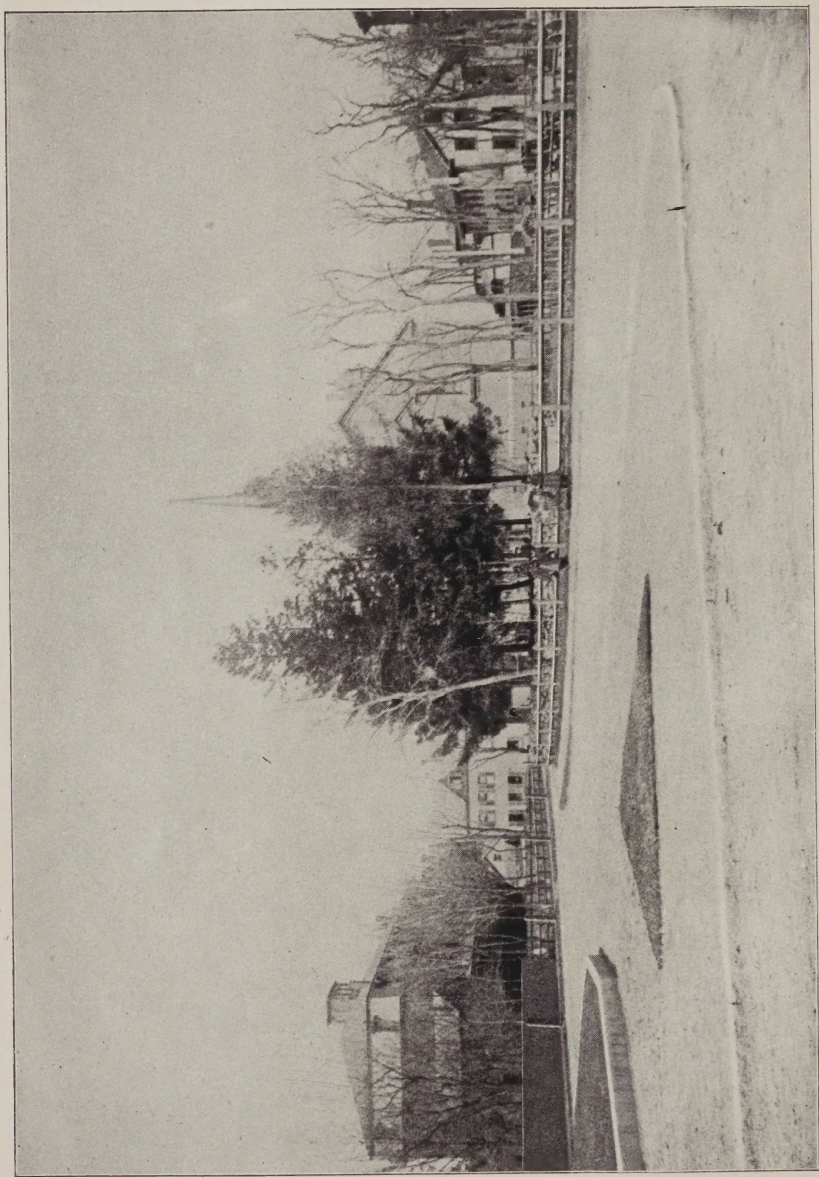
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BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT BURYING GROUND.

THE acre of land comprising the ancient burying ground on Cabot street, in Beverly, was obtained by the town of John Lovett, jr., May 8, 1672. It adjoined the lot on which stood the meeting house of that period.

The frontispiece is a view of this old burying ground as it now appears, Abbott street having been constructed through it. In the middle is the private lot of Rev. John Hale, and near it are the tombs of several of the early ministers of Beverly.

The following are all the inscriptions now to be found in the cemetery bearing dates prior to 1800.

DAVID SON OF
M^R D A U I D
AND SUSANNA
ALLEN WHO
DIED SEP^R 9th
1748 IN Y^E
4th YEAR OF
H I S A G E

HENRY BAILEY.*

HERE LYES BURIED
t h e B O D Y O F
BENIAMIN BALCH
ONLY SON OF
DEAC BENI^A BALCH
& MARCY HIS WIFE
WHO D E P A R T E D
t H I S L I F E A U G 4th
1736 IN Y^E 11 YEAR
O F H I S A G E

*Footstone.

Here Lyeth Y^e body
of Elizabeth Balch
Who died June
the 28th 1730 in
t h e 53 year of
her Age

HERE LYES Y^E BODY
O F J O S E P H
BALCH AGED 35
Y E A R S D I E D
A U G U S T Y^E 14.
1712

IN Memory of
Mrs. LOIS BARRETT Con-
fort of Mr. THO^S BARRETT,
who departed this life
Sep^t 5th 1789, aged 29 year^s
Also Betsey their Daughter
who died June 9th 1796,
in the 7th year of her age.

*From infancy to riper years I grew,
Perhaps as certain of my life as you;
But now in silent accents hear my cry,
You soon like me within the Tomb shall lie.*

IN Memory of
M^{RS} Anna Bartlett,
Relict of
Cap^t William Bartlett,
who departed this life
Sep^t. 24th 1791;
In the 78th year
of her age.

IN Memory of
Benjamin Bartlett A. B.
who died Jan^y 20th
1795, in the 30th year
of his age.

IN Memory of
John Bartlett A B
who died
Jan^y 23^d 1787.
Aged 20 years.

IN memory of Mr.
BENJAMIN BECKFORD,
who departed this life
June 5th 1799,
Aged 67 years.

*So sleep the saints & cease to groan
When fin & death have done their
Christ hath a glory like his own
That waits to clothe this sleeping dust.*

IN Memory of
Mifs Elif^a Beckford,
daug^r of M^r. Benj^a &
M^{rs}. Elifabeth Beckford
who died Jan. 19th
1780: In the 9th year
of her age.

*Farewel f^wet childe, farewel a long
No more with pleasure shall we look
on you*

IN Memory of
John Beckford son
of Cap^t Benjamin &
Mr. Ruth Beckford,
who died Sep^t 9th
1795, aged 6 days.

*Fairwel sweet babe, I hope to meet
And there with thee sing the Redee-
(mer's love.*

IN memory of
Ruth Beckford, the
Daug^r. of Cap^t. Benj^a
& M^{rs}. Ruth Beckford
who died Aug^t 2^d
1782: In the 5th year
of his age.

*She's gone! she's past the gloomy shade
Safe landed in th^e eternal realms
(of light.*

HERE lies the Body
of the Widow
ELIZABETH BILES,
who died Aug^t
7th 1782 IN
the 87th year
of her age.

IN Memory of 3 sons of
Mr. Nath^l. & Mrs. Anna Black
Nath^l W. Black, Ob. Jan^y 1.
1789 Æt. 4 months & 15 d.
Nath^l W. Black, 2^d
Ob. Aug^t 12. 1792. Æt. 1 year
& 3 months Benj^a W. Black
ob. Sep^t. 6. 1803
Æt. 11 months.

HERE LYES THE
BODY OF M^r.
JOHN BLOWERS
WHO DIED JULY
Y^e 13th 1748
IN THE 38th YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

IN MEMORY OF THE
REV. THOMAS BLOWERS
OBT. JUNE 17, 1729.
IN THE 28 YEAR OF
HIS MINISTRY.

Here lyes y^e Body of
LYDIA BOWLES Dau^{tr}
of M^r. WILLIAM & M^{rs}.
PRUDENCE BOWLES;
Who died July 11th
1766. Aged 17 Year
and 5 Months

In Memory of
Mrs. Prudence Bowles,
wife of
Mr. William Bowles,
who departed this life
in Novem^r. 1778 in y^e
76th year of hir age.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF M^{rs}.
ABIGAIL BRISCO WIFE TO M^r.
ROBERT BRISCO AGED 59 YEARS
DEC^d JUNE Y^e 1ST 1724
Come heither Mortal Cast an eye
Then go thy way prepare to Dye
Here read thy Doom for dye thou must
One day like me be turned to dust

In Memory
of
M^{rs}. ELIZABETH BROWN,
the Wife of
M^r MOSES BROWN,
who
departed this Life,
July 7th
MDCCLXXXVIII.
Aged
34 Years.

*Happy exchange, to part with all below ;
For worlds of blifs where Joys unceasing flow.*

HERE LYES THE BODY OF
M^{rs}. ELIZABETH CHAMPNEY
WIFE TO THE REV^d
M^r JOSEPH CHAMPNEY
AGED 19 YEARS & 3 M^o
DEC^d. JAN^{RY} Y^e 13th
1 7 3 1.

IN MEMORY OF THE
REV. JOSEPH CHAMPNEY.
OBT. MARCH 1, 1773;
IN THE 69 YEAR OF HIS AGE
& 44 OF HIS MINISTRY.

IN
Memory of
M^{RS} ELIZABETH CHAPMAN,
Relict of
CAP^T ABNER CHAPMAN,
who departed this life
January 18th 1787 : In
the 74th year of her age.

*The toils of life & pangs of death are
And care & pain, & sickness are no more.* ^{(o'er,}

IN Memory of
M^{RS}. EMMA CHARNOCK,
Relict of M^R. John
CHARNOCK of Boston
& Daug^r. of the Rev^d.
THOMAS BLOWERS of
this place ; who died
Oct^r 6th 1786 ; In the
83^d year of her age.

In Memory of
Mrs. Anna Cleaves,
wife of
Benjamin Cleaves,
who departed this Life
Nov^r 29th 1792, in the
67th year of her age.

ERECTED
In memory of CAP^T
BENJAMIN CLEAVES,
who died Dec^r 14th
1 7 7 5 ;
Aged 83
years.

ERECTED
In memory of M^{rs}
REBECCA CLEAVES
wife of CAP^T
BENJAMIN CLEAVES,
who died Sep^t. 5th
1770 ; Aged 74
years.

IN Memory of
M^{rs}. Susanna CLEAVES,
wife of
M^r. ANDREW CLEAVES,
who departed this Life
June 7th 1790; In the 51st
year of her age.

Here lyes the Body
of William Cleaves
Son of Deacon Benjamin
& Anna Cleaves who
Died Nov^r. 9. 1774
Aged 16 Years.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF LIEU^t
JOHN C L E E V E S
AGED 77 YEARS
DIED SEP^t. 14th
1 7 5 3.

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF M^{rs}.
ABIGAIL CONANT
DIED FEB^{RY} y^e 2^d
1 7 5 0
IN THE 57th YEAR
OF HER AGE.

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF M^r.
JONATHAN CONANT
DIED JUNE y^e 18th
1 7 4 7
AGED 58 YEARS.

HERE LIES y^e BODY OF
M^r. CALEB COYE
DIED NOV^R 6 1754.
IN THE 62^d YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

Here Lyeth y^e Body of
M^{rs}. Joanah Coye Wife to
M^r. Caleb Coye Who died
April y^e 17th 1745
in her 47th Year

Here Lyes the Body of
M^{rs}. Abigail the wife of
Captⁿ. Thomas Davis.
who Died Sep^r. 1st,
Anno Domini 1773,
in the 48th Year
of her Age.

In Memory of
M^r. JOHN DAVIS, Son of
M^r. THOMAS DAVIS & M^{rs}.
ABIGAIL DAVIS, who Died
Sep^{tr}. Y^e 10th 1781, in the 20th
Year of his Age

NEAR this place
is deposited the remains
of fix Infants:
Children of JOHN &
ABAGAIL DIKE.

*Of such
is the kingdom of heaven*
Jesuf Chrif

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}.
MARY DODGE
DIED MARCH 13th
1 7 5 0
IN THE 79 YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LYES y^e BODY
OF CP^t. WILLIAM
DODGE WHO DIED
MARCH Y^e 24th 1720
IN y^e 80 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Here Lyeth y^e Body
OF Deacⁿ. WILLIAM
DODGE Who died
JANUARY y^e 7th
1 7 4 7 In y^e
83^d year of his
AGE.

IN Memory of
M^{rs}. Sarah Edmonds,
Relict of
Cap^t. John Edmonds,
who died Aug^t. 30th.
1791 : In the 36th year
of her age.

*Happy Exchange to part with all
(below)
For worlds of blifs where joys
(unceasing flow.*

IN Memory of
M^{rs}. Abigail Elliott,
Relict of
Cap^t. Benjamin Elliott,
who departed this life
Nov^r. 12th 1790 :
Aged 79 years.

*Weep not for me dry up your tears,
I must lie here till Christ appears*

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r. ANDREW ELIOT
AGED 34 YEARS
DIED JAN^R^Y THE 25th
1 7 4 3.

Here lies Buried
the Body of M^r.
ANDREW ELLIOTT
who departed this
Life JANUARY y^e 7th
1747⁸ In y^e 65th
Year of his Age

IN Memory of
M^r. Andrew Elliott
who departed this
May 30th 1790 :
In the 50th year
of his age.

HERE LYES y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} ELIZA^BTH ELIOT
WIFE TO M^r ANDREW
ELIOT WHO DIED Y^e
16th April of 1747 IN HER
49 YEAR

IN Memory of
Mifs Elifabeth Elliott,
Daug^r. of M^r. Andrew &
M^{rs}. Jean Elliott,
who died Nov^r 20th
1791. In the 24th year
of her age.

Here Lyes y^e Body
of Mary Wife to
Andrew Elliott
Who died June
The 13th 1737 in
Her 52nd year

Here Lyeth the
Body of Benj^a.
Ellinwood Who
Died March the
28 1731 Aged
63 years.

Here lyes y^e body
of david Ellinwood
Son to david & Joanna
Ellinwood Who died
sep^t. 30th. 1721
aged 14 days.

Here lyeth y^e body of
Joanna Ellinwood y^e
wife of David Ellinwood
who died May y^e. 23
1725 aged
23 years.

Also a son of David
& Joanna Ellinwood
died May y^e
14 1725

IN Memory of Mifs
DESIRE ELINWOOD
Daug^t of M^r WILL^M
& M^{rs}. ELISABETH
ELINWOOD ; who
died Nov^r. 25th
1785 ; In the 36th
year of her age.

IN Memory of M^r
EBENEZER ELLI^NWOOD,
who Departed this Life
April 22^d

I 7 7 I :
In the 52^d year
of his Age.

IN Memory of CAP^t
EBENEZER ELLINWOOD,
who departed this
Life Aug^t 26th
1783; In the
39th Year of
his age.

IN Memory of
Miss ELIZABETH
ELLINWOOD, Daugh^t.
of M^r. EBEN^R. & M^{rs}.
ELIZ^A ELLINWOOD,
who died March 1st
1782; In the 19th
year of her Age.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Elifabeth Ellinwood
Relict of
Mr. Ebenezer Ellinwood
who departed this life
June 15th 1799 in the
72^d year of her age.

Here lyeth y^e body
of Joanna Elinwood
Daut^r. to David &
J o a n n a Elinwood
died Jan^y y^e 25 1723
aged 15 months

IN Memory of
M^R. WILL^M ELLINWOOD,
who departed this
Life July 13th
1766.

In the 51st year
of his age.

IN Memory of
M^r. EZRA TRASK FOSTER,
who departed this Life
Nov^r 6th 1789, In the
38th year of his age.

*In death the friend the kind companion lies
And in one death what various comfort dies
On his cold bosom drop a tender tear (here
Who foremost walk'd the scenes of friendship
How humbled in the dust so all must die,
But virtue triumphs o'er mortality.*

Memento mori

ERECTED in
Memory of DEAC^N
JOSEPH FOSTER,
who departed
this Life Febr.
27th 1767;
Aged 53 years.

Also in Memory
of Mrs. HANNAH
FOSTER, wife of
DEACON JOSEPH
FOSTER, who de-
parted this Life
Aug^t 10th 1778;
Aged 61 years.

IN Memory of M^r.
JAMES FOSTER, son of
DEACON JOSEPH FOSTER,
who departed this
Life April; 28th 1782;
Aged 22 years.

*Friendship's fair genius drops a tender tear
To see her fav^rite vot^{ry} sleeping here :
But gentle are the slumbers of the just
And swift the hour that reawakes the dust
To call the body from the darksome tomb
To join the soul in it's eternal home.*

IN Memory of
Mr. Thomas Foster,
who departed this life
July 26th 1794, in the
58th year of his age.

*So sleep the saints & cease to groan,
When sin & death have done their
Christ has a glory like his own (worst
That waits to clothe their sleeping*

*(dust
To be continued.*

ABORN NOTE.

James Aborn (No. 51, page 163, volume
I, *Antiquarian*), by his wife Hannah, had
the following children: Betsy, baptized
Feb. 15, 1784, and Molly, baptized Feb.
11, 1787.—*Marblehead church records.*

THE TAILOR.

The tailor, when our land was young
And everything was new,
Upon a stick his bundle flung,
And walked the country through.

Bearing to mansion and the cot
The gossip new and rare
Obtained in every place he wrought
He had a welcome there.

His time is past, no more we meet
This journeyman of old,
Never again his presence greet,
Nor ancient form behold.

TAILORS IN THE OLDEN TIME.

Like many others of the workers at various handicrafts, the makers of men's clothing were engaged in pursuing their calling here quite early. They went from house to house, and from village to village, cutting out, fitting, and making garments of all sorts, pants, vests and coats, being usually preceded by the weavers, who from the wool and cotton spun by the ladies of the family wove the material for the use of the tailor. They usually remained at a place long enough to make up a season's or a year's supply of clothing for the men of the household, or to make a wedding suit, or a suit for a journey, or some other special occasion. They made their home with the family until their work was completed.

We can little imagine the delight the coming of the tailor brought to the family, at least those members that revelled in gossip and newsmonging. This was one way, though it seldom occurred, by which news was disseminated before the era of newspapers. Living in the very midst of a family for a week or two, or longer, and having the opportunity, which was rarely neglected, to learn family secrets and the short-comings of its members, he could not help always having on hand a fresh supply of gossip. Moving about among the people continually he heard all the news, whether local or general, private or public.

If these early practices did not originate the term "journeyman," it certainly gave

it a meaning which it has not had in more recent times.

In large towns tailors opened their shops, as did other craftsmen, and performed their work in them instead of the houses of their customers, which was a method that benefitted both parties. The first tailor in Essex county who is known to the writer to have had such a shop was Edward Griffiths in Marblehead in 1768. He had come from London.

May 7, 1662, the general court enacted a statute making it a criminal offence for tailors to "fashion or make" clothing for children or "servants under government" of kind and quality exceeding the condition in life of their parents or employers, "contrary to the mind" of such parents or employers. For the first offence the tailor was simply admonished; but if he was convicted of a similar offence a second time he forfeited double the value of the garment or garments that he had made.

This, one of several similar ancient customs, has passed away, and with it much of the romance of the olden time.

DESCENDANTS OF ANDREW ALLEN
OF ANDOVER.

ANDREW ALLEN¹ was born about 1618. He lived in Lynn in 1642, removing to Andover, and was called of Ipswich in 1658. He married Faith Ingalls of Lynn; and died in Andover Oct. 24, 1690. His wife survived him.

Children:—

- 2—I. MARY², m. — Tothacrer before 1690.
- 3—II. HANNAH², b. Oct. 28, 1652, in Andover; m. James Holt Oct. 12, 1675; and was living in 1690.
- 4—III. SARAH², m. Samuel (?) Holt before 1690.
- 5—IV. ANDREW², b. May 9, 1657, in Andover. *See below (5).*
- 6—V. MARTHA², m. — Carier before 1690.
- 7—VI. JOHN², b. March 16, 1661, in Andover. *See below (7).*

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ANDREW ALLEN², born in Andover May 9, 1657. He lived in Andover; and married Elizabeth Richardson Jan. 1, 1681-2. He died in Andover, of small-

pox, Sept. 26, 1690. His wife survived him, and died, his widow, in Andover, May 2, 1745, aged seventy-eight.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 8—I. ELIZABETH³, b. Oct. 1, 1682; d. in Andover, unmarried, May 31, 1750.
- 9—II. JAMES³, b. March 2, 1684; d. April 18, 1707.
- 10—III. ANDREW³, b. in 1685. *See below* (10).
- 11—IV. THOMAS³, b. Oct. 17, 1687; d. of small pox Dec. 18, 1690.
- 12—V. SARAH³, b. June 11, 1690; lived in Andover, unmarried, in 1742.

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JOHN ALLEN², born in Andover March 16, 1661. He lived in Andover; and married Mercy Peters of Andover May 22, 1686. He died in Andover, of small pox, Nov. 26, 1690; and she died there, of the same disease, Dec. 25, 1690.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 13—I. JOHN³, b. May 10, 1687; d. young.
- 14—II. JOHN³, b. June 12, 1688; d. March —, 1712.
- 15—III. HANNAH³, b. Sept. 12, 1690; m. Joseph Abbot of Andover April 4, 1722; and d. March 4, 1755.

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ANDREW ALLEN³, born in Andover in 1685. He was a clothier; and lived in Andover. He married Mary Dane June 28, 1711; and died Sept. 22, 1740. She died in Andover, his widow, Feb. 19, 1772, aged eighty-five.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 16—I. JAMES⁴, b. Aug. 9, 1713. *See below* (16).
- 17—II. JOHN⁴, b. Dec. 11, 1716.
- 18—III. SARAH⁴, b. May 19, 1719; living in Andover, unmarried, in 1758.
- 19—IV. ANDREW⁴, b. July 7, 1721; d. of sickness in the king's service at Louisburg Dec. 15, 1745.
- 20—V. THOMAS⁴, b. Nov. 18, 1723.
- 21—VI. MARY⁴, lived in Andover, unmarried, in 1758.

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JAMES ALLEN⁴, born in Andover Aug. 9, 1713. He was a yeoman; and lived in Andover. He married Deborah Poor Aug. 27, 1736; and died in Andover Aug. 13, 1758. His wife survived him, and died, his widow, Aug. 7, 1806, aged ninety-two.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 22—I. DEBORAH⁵, b. July 14, 1738; d. in Andover, unmarried, Oct. 11, 1769.
- 23—II. JAMES⁵, b. Jan. 5, 1739-40. *See below* (23).
- 24—III. — (son)⁵, b. Jan. 13, 1741-2; d. young.
- 25—IV. ELIZABETH⁵, b. July 5, 1744; d. in Andover, unmarried, July 2, 1827, aged eighty-two.
- 26—V. MARTHA⁵, m. Abraham Mooar Oct. 18, 1768; and they were both living in 1819.
- 27—VI. ANDREW⁵, b. June 13, 1747; d. April 3, 1748.
- 28—VII. MEHITABLE⁵, b. May 26, 1749; d. in Andover, unmarried, Sept. 8, 1813.
- 29—VIII. ANDREW⁵, b. Feb. 23, 1753-4; d. Jan. 12, 1777, in Andover, aged twenty-two.

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JAMES ALLEN⁵, born in Andover Jan. 5, 1739-40. He died Dec. 7, 1774.

Children:—

- 30—I. JAMES⁶, lived in Alstead, N. H., in 1819.
- 31—II. DEBORAH⁶, m. Benjamin Harris of Charlemont, Mass., before 1819.

WILL OF ROBERT HUNTER.

The will of Robert Hunter, dated 5 : 6mo : 1647, was proved in the Ipswich court 28 : 7 : 1647. The following copy is taken from the record contained in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 25, the original being missing.

this 5th of the 6th month 1647.

I Robert Hunter weake of body but of pfect memory prayfed be god doe make & ordayne this to be my laft will & Teftament. firft all my debts being paid I leave my howfe & lott to my wife Mary Hunter for Terme of her life. Item all my goods within the howfe I give to my wife Item I give vnto Thomas Birkby one little browne heffer that coms two yeares and my fhop geare Item I give vnto fome poore in the Church of Rowley ten pounds to be paid out of two mares of which ten pounds ten fhillings I give to Richard Clarke Ite ten fhillings to John Dreffer Item to John Burbant 10^s. Item to willm Jackfon 10^s. Item to Jane Grant I give 10^s. Item to Sifly wood 10^s. Item

to Margaret Croffe 10^s. Item I give to william Stickne 20^s. & all my workiday clothes Item to Thomas Elethorp 10^s. Item I give to m^{ris} Shove 40^s. which I desire may be for helping her sonne when he is to goe [to] Cambridg Item I give to John Trumbell 20^s. Item to Edward Sawier 10^s. Ite to Thomas Tenny I give 10^s. and the remainyng 20^s of the 10^l I give to m^{ris}. Shove Item as for all the rest of my goods & Chattells I leave vnto my wife Mary Hunter whom I make sole executrix of this my last will & Testament I[n] p^resence of vs

Humfry Rayner Robert Hunter.
Maximilian Jawet his mke.

Memorand for the Inheritance of my howse & lott In case Abell Langley fettle here & carry well towards his Dame my minde is that he shall have the Inheritance of them, but if not then I leave it to be disposed of by the Church for the vse of the poore of Rowley Item it is the will of the said testator that if the abovesaid Abell Langley have a call to goe for England to settle any estate he hath there that then he shall have libty to goe and returne but in case he goe & doe not returne to live here in such convenient tyme as may be thought fitt by the Church then the said Abell Langley shall not have power to sell or dispose of the Lott or howse but they shall fall into the hands of the Church at Rowley to be disposed of as abovesaid.

WILL OF RICHARD BARTLETT.

The nuncupative will of Richard Bartlett, sr., of Newbury, was proved in the Ipswich court 28 : 7 : 1647. The following is a copy of the same as recorded in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 25.

The testimony of william Titcombe & Anthony Somerby concerning the last will & testament of Richard Bartlett sen of Newbury deceased the 20th of May 1647 About a month before he deceased we being with him & two of his sonnes being p^resent he being very ill & had bene weake all the s^pring finding in him-

selfe that he was not like to continew he desired vs to take notice what his mind was concerning that small estate he had how he would dispose of it. As for his sonne John Bartlett he had done for him more then for the rest of his children & at that tyme did not dispose any to him. To his sonne Christofer Bartlett he did bequeath the debt which latly he had borrowed of him which was five busshells of wheat if foe be it should please the lord to take him away at this sicknesse or ells if he should lye longe vizitted his necessity would require that he should pay it againe. To his daughter Johan wife of william Titcomb he bequeathed one paire of new shoes for herselfe & her four daughters each one a paire of shoes And all the rest of his goods & chattells that were not disposed of he bequeathed wholly to his sonne Richard Bartlett whom he made his sole heire & executor. I Anthony Somerby the next day p^rswaded him to give somthing to his sonne John Bartlett his answere was that he had bene with his sonne Richard Batlet this twelve month & all that he had was to little for to give him feing he had bene weake & ill & could doe little but lay vpon his sonnes charges; besides said he if I should lye longe sick I shalbe chargable to Richard & not to any of the rest and for John I have done more formally yet I will give him the warming pan and vpon his sonnes request he gaue him a great bible: this he spake being in p^rfect memory & foe continued to the last breath.

I Edward Rawson wittnes to the last pt of the will that I often heard the said Richard Bartlett sen (the tyme of his sicknesse) say he would & did give all to his sonne Richard Bartlett 29th Septemb 1647. this was before the wittness

Edward Rawson.

m^r Rawson fworne to the first part of this will Anthony Somerby fworne to the wholl will before the Court held at Ipswich 28th 7th month 1647.

p me Robert Lord Clerke.

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

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Willi: Simons (his \wedge mark) of Haverhill releases John Godfrey of Andover from all debts April 13, 1660. Ack. in court 13:2:1660.

Steven fflanders of Salisbury, planter, for 35s., conveyed to Willi: Chandeler of Newbury 3 acres of marsh in Salisbury, bounded by Merrimack river, etc., June 1, 1659. Wit: Anthony Summersby and Daniell Lunt. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660. Grantor's wife Jane released dower, in court, 8:2mo:1662.

Rodger Eastman (his \sqcap mark) of Salisbury, house-carpenter, for £16, by bond of William Osgood, millwright, and Robert Quenby, ship-carpenter, both of Salisbury, conveyed to said Quenby house and ten acres of land in Salisbury, west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by William Sargent, a lane, street and highway, Feb. 28, 1658. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, Josuah Peirce and Jn^o. Cutt. Ack., and wife Sarah released dower, in court, 10:2mo:1660.

Richard Ormsbie of Salisbury, planter, for 200 bushels of wheat, agreed to convey to John Godfrey of Andover 60 acres of land at Batt's hill in Salisbury, bounded by Mr. Munday, and land sometimes Master Doues, May 4, 1660. Wit: Robert Lord and Mary Lord, jr. (her M mark). Ack. before Daniell Denison May 5, 1660.

Richard Swaine (his R mark) of Hampton, planter, for brotherly affection, conveyed to his friend and neighbor John Cram of Hampton, husbandman, five acres of upland where grantee's house now stands, and five acres of marsh in Hampton, bounded by John Godfrey and Lt. Christopher Hussie. Wit: Seaborn Cotton and John Cotton. Ack. before Symon Bradstreete May 5, 1659.

Andrew Greely of Salisbury, shoemaker, conveyed to William Osgood of Salisbury, millwright, a ten-acre planting lot in Salisbury, at Pawwaus hill, bounded by Abraham Morrill and common, Sept. 29, 1650.

Wit: Edward Woodman and Eben: Severans.

Richard Singletary (his U mark) of Salisbury, planter, for £4, conveyed to Andrew Greely of Salisbury, shoemaker, four acres of meadow in No. 32 in Salisbury, bounded by Mr. Sam: Groome, Willi: Huntington and Jn^o. Dickison. Wit: Tho: Davis (his \oplus mark) and Willi: Chandler. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

George Martyn (his M mark), blacksmith, and wife Susana Martyn of Salisbury, for £45, conveyed to Richard Currier of Salisbury house and ten acres of upland in Salisbury, west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by John Hoyt, highway and Pawwaus river, 2mo:1660. Wit: Willi: Sargent, Andru Greely and James Offin. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

Robert Ring of Salisbury, cooper, for £11, conveyed to John Weed, planter, of Salisbury, 30 acres of land on west side of Mill river, in ye new town, bounded by John Rolfe, John Bayley, jr., common, etc., Sept. 29, 1658. Wit: Tho: Macy and Steven fflanders. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

Anthony Stanian of Hampton and wife Ann, conveyed to John Partridg of Boston, seaman, for £36, which sum was due to grantee for legacies given him by his grandfather John Partridg and his father Willi: Partridg, deceased, and for £13 to be paid to Hannah Partridg at 21 years of age, and for £13 to Elizabeth Partridg at 21 years of age, house, formerly of Willi: Partridg, late of Salisbury, deceased, and land in Salisbury, viz: 4 acres adjoining the house, 4 acres of meadow in the great meadows, 7 acres in the bareberrie meadows, and 8 acres of Higledee pigledee marsh towards Hampton, at Hall's farm, and some beach sweepage, June 11, 1659. In the same instrument, the grantee gives grantor a certain lien upon the property. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Judeth Bradbury. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

Richard Singletary (his \S mark) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to John

Weed, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 20-acre planting lot on west side of Pawwaus river in Salisbury, bounded by Isaac Buswell, Anthony Sadler and Pawwaus river, Sept. 29, 1646. Wit: Tho: Davis (his \oplus mark). Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

Tho: Bradbury of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Vallentine Rowell 6 acres of meadow, formerly Mr. John Hodges, bounded by Thomas Dumer and Anthony Collby, Oct. 23, 1647. Wit: Sam: Winsley and mark $>$ of Tho: Rowell. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

John Hoyt (his H mark) of Salisbury, planter, for £4, 5s., conveyed to Willi: Osgood of Salisbury, millwright, 2 acres of meadow in Salisbury, bounded by Tho: Barnett, Robert fitts, town creek, etc., Sept. 29, 1650. Ack. in court 10:4mo:1660.

John Weed of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Willi: Osgood of Salisbury, millwright, 10 acres of planting ground west side of Pawwaus river in Salisbury, bought of Richard Singletary, ($\frac{1}{2}$ of 20-acre lot), bounded by Isaac Buswell, Anthony Sadler and Pawwaus river, 1648. Wit: Abraham Morrill and Anthony Collby. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660.

Willi: Osgood (his WO mark) of Salisbury, millwright, conveyed to Steven fflanders of Salisbury, planter, 10-acre planting lot in Salisbury, formerly of Georg Brown, bounded by Willi: Brown, Sam: Getchell, Pawwaus river and common land. Wit: Edward woodman and Phillip Challis. Ack., and grantor's wife consented, 10:2mo:1660.

Willi Osgood (his WO mark) of Salisbury, millwright, for £3, conveyed to Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, 2 acres of upland in Salisbury, west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by highway, Pawwaus river and George Martyn, April 1, 1656. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and mark $\ddagger\ddagger$ of Edward Cottell. Ack. in court 10:2mo:1660; and grantor's wife Elizabeth released dower.

Andrew Greely of Salisbury, shoemaker, for £14, conveyed to John Clough of Salisbury $\frac{1}{2}$ of 40-acre planting lot on

south side of Batt's hill in Salisbury, formerly of John Sanders of Salisbury yeoman, the other half being in the possession of Richard Ormsbie, bounded by the brow of said hill and common land, March 3, 1659. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Joshua Peirce. Ack. in court 13:2mo:1660. Grantor's wife Mary released dower, in court, 8:2mo:1662.

Nov. 22, 1659, James fiske and wife Anne (her 4 mark) of Haverhill, for £100, conveyed to Mr. John Ward of Haverhill house and 9 acres of land in Haverhill, bounded by Richard Littlehale, Michael Emerson, Thomas Lilford and street; 5 acres of planting land in the plain, bounded by Daniel Hendrix, Thomas Whittcher, Merrimack river, and common; 2 acres in east meadows, bounded by Daniel Hendricks, Thomas Whitcher, common and a river; 2 acres in west meadows, bounded by common and Peter Eyer; and commonages. Wit: Richard Littlehale, Tho: Lilford (his T mark) and Mary Williams (her O mark). Ack. before Symon Bradstreet 21:1:1659.

John ffoulsham (also, fulsham) of Exeter conveyed to Daniell Cushin of Hingham 102 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in Exeter, bought of Mr. Samuel Dudley, John Robinson, John Warren and Thomas Turner, bounded by the river on which Capt. Thomas Clarke's sawmill standeth, and Gowin Wilson; $\frac{1}{2}$ of 30 acres of meadow; $\frac{1}{2}$ of 300 acres of upland granted to Anthony Staniell by Exeter for a farm; and all of my lands in Exeter, Sept. 26, 1660. Wit: Joshua Hubbard and Jn^o. Smithe. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin Oct. 6, 1660.

Thomas Coleman of Hampton, husbandman, for £32, conveyed to Peter Jonson, eldest son of Edmond Jonson, late of Hampton, deceased, one acre of said deceased's houselot and the house thereon, bounded by the Ring and Robert Smithe; 6 acres in the East field, bounded by William Sanbourne and swamp; 3 acres of meadow, sometime said deceased's, bounded by Thomas Moulton now in the hands of Mr. Dalton

and the widow Wedgwood, Robert Drake and Henry Robie, June 19, 1660. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Giles ffeild. Ack. 2: 8mo: 1660.

Nathanell Boulter conveyed to Tho Warde of Hampton 50 or 60 rods of land in Hampton being a part of 5 acres granted to the grantor by Hampton for a house lot. Ward accepts of it. Wit: Nathanell Drake and Sam: Dalton. Ack. in court 2: 8mo: 1660.

Joseph Merrie and widow Elizabeth Hillier, both of Hampton, agree to marry together and he therefore agrees to convey to her for her life his now dwelling house and ten acres of upland adjoining in Hampton, bounded by Philemon Dalton, William Marston, jr., street and common land. She had three children by her former husband, Emma: Hillier, viz.: Timothy, Benjamin and Elizabeth. She is to have also certain articles. Dated 13: 10: 1659. Wit: Christopher Hussie and Sam: Dalton. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin 9: 2mo: 1660.

Richard Swaine (his R mark) of Hampton, husbandman, for £13, conveyed to Nathanel Wyer of Newbury, planter, 8 acres of marsh in Hampton, bounded by Robert Tuck, Eliakim Wardall, Anthony Stanian and William Swaine; 16 acres of pasture in Hampton, bounded by William Swain, late deceased, and common; and one common right, Sept. 4, 1660. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, Mary Bradbury (her M B mark), Judeth Bradbury and Jacob Bradbury. Ordered by court to be recorded 9: 2mo: 1661.

Stray horse taken up at Haverhill by Robert Eysers and Thomas Eysers in February, 1660: "the colo^r of the horfe is much like that of the Spanifh cattell which were formerly in this contrey, hee has white feet & leggs, a white face wth wall eyes but no flesh marke about him that wee can find." Appraised by Bartholemew Heath and Abraham Tiler at £11. Recorded April 19, 1661.

Mr. Samuel Hall of Salisbury, gent, conveyed to Thomas Rowell of Ipswich 40 acres of upland in Salisbury, bounded by

Merrimack river, common, etc., Oct. 24, 1657. Wit: Phill: Challis and mark M of Georg Martyn. Ack. in court 9: 2mo: 1661.

Richard Swaine (his mark R) of Hampton, husbandman, for £20, conveyed to Nathanell Boulter of Hampton, planter, 4 acres of my houselot in Hampton, bounded by meeting house green, the town lot formerly Mr. Timothy Dalton's and now in possession of Mr. Seaborne Cotten, land given to grantee by grantor, and highway. A small part of the house lot is in the possession of Moses Cox. Heirs of William Swaine are to maintain part of the fence. He also conveys to his daughter Grace, wife of said Nathanell Boulter the remainder of the house lot above said Nathaniel's now dwelling house towards Rodger Shaw's; land grantor bought of said Nathaniel in Hampton, bounded by Robert Tuck, widow Wall, Thomas Webster, William Godfrey and Thomas Ward; 10 acres of upland, bounded by mill brook; 10 acres in West meadow, bounded by Robert Page, Edward Colcord and John Marian; 5 acres of marsh and 4 acres of meadow, both adjoining burchin island, the latter bounded by Marian and meadow formerly of Mr. Dalton. Dated Sept. 4, 1660. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, Jacob Bradbury, mark of Mary Bradbury M B, and Willia Bradbury.

Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Joseph french of Salisbury, tailor, 3 acres of marsh, bounded by Mr. Sam: Winsley, William Barnes and ye beach creek, 2 acres of said lot lying in Mr. Sam: Hall's farm in Salisbury, March 10, 1656. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Josiah Cobham. Ack. in court 9: 2mo: 1661.

Thomas Sleeper and his wife Joanna Sleper (her Ω mark) of Haverhill conveyed to William White of Haverhill my dwelling house and 5 acres of land in Haverhill; $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in pond meadow, bounded by the meadow of George Brown sometimes Willia Simon's, Sam: Gile and common; and five commonages, Oct. 22, 1659. Wit: John Page

and Tho Lillford. Ack. in court by both
grantors 2 : 8 mo : 1660.

To be continued.

ABRAHAM FOSTER'S ACCOUNT BOOK.

An account book belonging to Abraham Foster of Topsfield, a descendant of Reginald Foster through three Abrahams, contains entries bearing dates from 1753 to 1777. He was a carpenter. The important entries in the book are as follows :

"Amos Foster went to Squire Actkins November 25 ye 1765 to Live with him."

"Jos Chapman June 3 1766 det by 5 day work a huing and framing his house 5.0.0."

"Mother Foster Came to Live at my hous october 1762."

"Abraham foster wors born May 4, 1719."*

"Preceler foster wors born Jeneary 16, 1725."

"thay was mareded may 10 in year 1744."

"Mehettebul foster wars born aprel 2 1745."

"Martha foster wars born September 15 1746."

"amos foster wors born august 28 1748"

"Maray foster wors born august 31 1751."

"priscilar foster wors born august 4 1753."

"Abraham foster wors born Febuary 24 1755."

"Rachel Foster wors born September 23, 1756."

"october 4 wars the child born and octobur 21 the child died and buried 22 1758."

"Abner Foster wors Born october 8 1760."

"Abiger Foster wors Born September 12 1762."

"we builed the Barn in June in year 1750."

"we builed the hous in Juen in year 1759."

"Abner Todd wars Born november 13 1737 and he died october 12 in year 1749."

"Mother foster died the 10 day of april in 1762(?) in the 66 year of hur age."

"Patty Foster was married September 18th 1792."

"November 20 1764 then we had a Child born and it wars burid 21."

"Sister hannar foster wars taken Sick in august in ye 1764 and Cap hir beed 55 days."

"decken willyam fisk died Jenuery 23 1765 in the 77 year of his age."

"Assa foster wors Born august 20 ye 1766 on wensday at 11 oclok."

"father foster died in April the 23 in yer 1767 and was bured the 25 day in the 71 year of his age"

"July 5 1769 we Rased our meting Hous"*

"Abraham Adams died September the 18 1771"†

"Samuel Burbank died february 4 1777."

"John Teney died Jenuery 30 1772"

"Noumber 11 1772 we bilt the Chim-bely"

"Joshep (?) Plumer and marcey foster wars married decmber 15 1774"

"willyam dickson and priscelar wars married Juen 11 1777"

In May, 1769, he charges Samuel Burbank for hewing and raising the frame to his house.‡

ABBOT NOTE.

John Abbott (No. 40, page 129, volume I, *Antiquarian*) was baptized April 12, 1741.—*Marblehead church records*.

*This was the Second parish meeting-house in Rowley, now Georgetown.

†Mr. Adams committed suicide in his house in the second parish in Rowley, now Georgetown.

‡This was the house that occupied the site of the Phoenix building in Georgetown.

*The owner of the book.

NOTES.

Martha, widow of William Abraham, died Sept. 12, 1783, aged eighty-five.*

Mary Abrahams, resident in Andover, married Joseph Nutting of Andover Nov. 21, 1738.

—*Andover town records.*

Ann Abraham of Marblehead married Benjamin Watkins of Danvers Nov. 30, 1777.—*Marblehead town records.*

Woodward Abrams published to Mary Myers, both of Salem, Nov. 28, 1777.

Jacob Abrahams of Salem married Sally Wellman of Boston Oct. 19, 1786.

Sally Abrahams married William Sweney Aug. 21, 1791.

—*Salem town records.*

Widow Hannah Abrahams, August, 1716.—*First Church records, Salem.*

Benjamin Adams (188, page 43, volume II, *Antiquarian*) settled in Tunbridge, Vt., and died there about 1825. Of his family I only know that he had a daughter Sally, wife of George Hackett.

Solomon Adams (193, page 44) removed to New London, N. H., in 1782; was a Revolutionary soldier, and was living, a pensioner, in New London in 1832. He had a son Daniel.

Jonathan Adams (197) married, first, in 1792, Phebe Brocklebank. She died Feb. 27, 1807, in Tunbridge, Vt., and he married, second, in May, 1808, Abigail Weymouth, who died Feb. 1, 1864, in West Hartford, Vt. He was a farmer in Tunbridge, and died there Feb. 2, 1842. He had seven children.

Capt. Benjamin Adams (116, page 64) removed, in 1812, to Washington, Washington co., Pa., and died there, at the house of his grandson (Charles Wheeler), Dec. 23, 1817. His widow died in 1818 at the home of her son, Dr. Samuel Adams, in Beaver Falls, Beaver co., Pa.

* This was the mother of Woodward Abrahams of Marblehead, who was born in Charlestown Aug. 28, 1727. His brother, Nathaniel Abrahams, was baptized at Marblehead Dec. 14, 1735; and his sister lived with her mother in Andover in 1778.

The Captain was a brave and fearless officer; he fought with his company at the battle of Saratoga, and was present at the surrender of Burgoyne. During the battle his company captured a piece of the enemy's artillery, which was recaptured and again taken by him and his company, all on the same day. In the same battle he had several narrow escapes, two British bullets having been shot through his hat, one through his coat and another grazed one of his eye-brows. Dr. Samuel Adams, the only son of Capt. Benjamin, studied medicine with Dr. John Manning of Ipswich, married Elizabeth Plummer, and settled in the practice of his profession at Beaver Falls, Beaver co., Pa., where he became eminent as a physician, and had a large practice. He had four sons, two of whom (Milo and Socrates) were physicians, and six daughters. His youngest son, Samuel Plummer Adams, settled in Salem, Ohio, and had eight children, among whom is Milton B.,⁸ a graduate of West Point Military Academy in the class of 1861, and now Major of Engineers, U. S. A., an officer of marked ability, who has superintended the construction of several important government works.

Enoch Adams (154, page 65) removed with his family, about 1800, to Andover, Me., of which town he was the second permanent white settler, and a large land owner. His children were all born in Andover, Mass., except William, who was born in Andover, Me., and were as follows: 1. Enoch,⁶ b. June 23, 1779; m., March 26, 1807, Lucy Strickland; was a farmer in Andover, Me., and d. there Feb. 26, 1849. 2. John Emery,⁶ b. Dec. 5, 1780; m., first, Jan. 5, 1805, Sarah Moody, who d. in 1835; and, second, "Miss Jones of Me." In 1826 he settled in Cleaveland, O., and d. there Oct. 7, 1840. He was known in Cleveland as "Col. John E. Adams," and was a farmer and lumberman. 3. Sarah,⁶ b. Nov. 17, 1782; m. James Withington of Peru, Me.; and d. Aug. 7, 1830. 4. Dolly,⁶ b. Nov. 17, 1784; m. John Farrington of Andover,

Me.; and d. March 24, 1842. He d. March 4, 1840. 5. Joseph,⁶ b. April 14, 1788; m., March 26, 1812, Betsey Farnum; and settled in Rumford, Me. He d. Aug. 5, 1840, and she d. Nov. 29, 1865. He was a physician and itinerant preacher. 6. Henry,⁶ b. Aug. 15, 1790; d. Dec. 9, 1817, unmarried. 7. Moses,⁶ b. May 13, 1794; m. Dorcas Farnum; lived in Andover, Me., and d., 183—. 8. Mary,⁶ b. May 30, 1796; m. Capt. Adam Willis, a farmer, of Hanover, Me. He d. May 13, 1874, and she d. April 15, 1881. 9. Samuel,⁶ b. Sept. 7, 1798; d. July 26, 1802. 10. William,⁶ b. March 22, 1801; m., first, Betsey Crockett of Norway, Me., who d. July 11, 1881, and, second, Mrs. Delia C. Chase of Boston, Mass. He was a farmer in Andover, Me., and d. July 20, 1882.

John Adams (187, page 76) was a corporal in the Revolution; married Molly Brocklebank, in Ipswich, March 4, 1777 (Dec. 12, 1776, being date of publication); lived for some time in Newbury, and subsequently in Rowley, finally removing to New London, N. H., where he died March 15, 1821.

—*Nelson D. Adams, Washington, D. C.*

“SALEM, October 25.

“On Monday the 18th Instant, died very suddenly, Mrs. MARY BROAD-STREET, the virtuous and amiable Comfort of the Rev. Mr. SIMON BROAD-STREET, Pastor of a Church in MARBLE-HEAD; and her Remains were decently interred on Thursday last. She was an Ornament to the Christian Profession; desirable in every Relation, as a Wife, Parent, Mistress and Friend: As she was highly esteemed while living, so she died, greatly lamented, in the 50th Year of her Age. On the Lord's-Day following, the Rev. Mr. HOLT, of Danvers, preached a Sermon, suitable to the sorrowful Occasion, from Job xiv. 14. *All the Days of my appointed Time will I wait, till my Change come.*” —*Essex Gazette, Oct. 18-25, 1768.*

Francis Abbot (No. 41) had children baptized as follows: Mary, April 17, 1768; Alexander Malcom, Oct. 29, 1769;

Mary, Sept. 20, 1772; and John Hancock, Dec. 25, 1774.

Benjamin Abbott (No. 64, page 130) was baptized Oct. 30, 1768.

Samuel, son of Samuel and Priscilla Adley, baptized Oct. 8, 1768.

—*Marblehead church records.*

Jonathan Abbott (No. 45, page 130) removed to Andover, Me., and died there. His wife died there in 1823. Their son Farnum Abbott died Aug. 4, 1872, aged ninety-three; and his wife Anna died July 7, 1856, aged seventy-three. Enos Abbott died there Feb. 28, 1839. Daniel died June 6, 1836, aged seventy; and his wife (Lydia Ripley) died Aug. 2, 1847, aged seventy-seven.

Philip Abbott (No. 46) removed to Andover, Me., where he died May 4, 1840, aged ninety; and his wife died Sept. 11, 1834, aged eighty-four. Their son Holton Abbott died July 11, 1840, aged sixty-six; and his wife Polly, Feb. 26, 1859, aged eighty-one; both being buried in Andover, Me.

John Abbott (No. 50, page 129) lived in Andover, Me., and died there. His wife Ruth (Lovejoy?) died in April, 1843.

—*Charles L. Clarke, New York City.*

Thomas Abbott (No. 3, page 128, volume II, *Antiquarian*) married Elizabeth French Dec. 25, 1706.

Hannah Abbott published to John Kittridge of Bildreky Jan. 3, 1708.

David Abbott of Andover published to Hannah Danford of Bildreky March 20, 1718.

Widow Sarah Abbott married John Dane Aug. 1, 1749.

—*Andover town records.*

NOTE TO “PART OF SALEM IN 1700”.

The Edward Norris house (see *Antiquarian*, volume II, page 172) was probably built by Robert Adams about 1638. He probably lived in it until his removal to Newbury, and owned it until he conveyed the estate to William Gerrish 18: 2: 1649, as appears by the following record:—

"18 of the 2^d moneth 1649

"Robt Adams of Newbery tayler hath fold vnto willm Gearifh for thirty pounds one howfe and one acre of Land, lying betwene m^r. Batters & henery Cooks howfes in Salem, as by his Deede Dated the day & yeare above written apeth."*

—*Sidney Perley, Salem.*

EDITORIAL.

The will of Jane Gaines was proved 10 : 5 : 1645, and that of Edith Smith, dated 3 : 12 mo : 1642, was proved in the Salem quarterly court 9 : 5 mo : 1647. Neither the original instruments nor copies have been found. Can anyone inform the *Antiquarian* as to their contents?

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

184. Wanted, the ancestry of Rachel Patch, who married Joseph Knowlton Nov. 4, 1762.

Madison, Wis.

F. E. B.

185. Wanted, the ancestry of Jane Rogers, who married Churchill Knowlton July 4, 1741.

F. E. B.

186. Wanted, information concerning Joseph, son of William³ (John², William¹) and Lydia (Porter) Lamson, born, Ipswich, Mass., Dec. 28, 1718; his marriage, etc. Also, of Samuel, his brother, born April 22, 1716.

Elkins, N. H.

A. H. L.

187. Wanted, information concerning William Swetland and his wife Agnes. I have dates of birth of four children, Peter, Grace, John and Joseph, 1676-1683.

Denver, Col.

L. W. S. J.

188. Wanted, the ancestors of Joshua Noyes, born July 25, 1776 (supposed in Boscawen, N. H.); married Eunice Jewett, in Rowley, Mass., 1797; lived in Byfield, Mass., from 1797 (probably before) to 1817, where he reared nine children. Reward offered for proof of parents and grandparents.

Stonington, Me.

B. LAKE NOYES.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 5.

ANSWERS.

95. Elizabeth Hills who married John Greenleaf was daughter of Gershom and Elizabeth (Chadwick) Hills of Malden, where she was born in February, 1669. Gershom Hills was son of Joseph Hills, the English emigrant to New England in 1638. Elizabeth (Chadwick) Hills was daughter of John and Mary (Barlow^s Chadwick of Watertown. Gershom and Elizabeth were married Nov. 11, 1667.—*William S. Hills, Boston.*

146. Joshua Lamb was sued in Salem court, 1665 (*Salem quarterly court records*). John Lamb of Ipswich, weaver, conveyed land in Chebacco, Ipswich, wife Rebecca, Jan. 18, 1722 (*Essex Registry of Deeds*).—*Ed.*

182. Mary Perley who married Joseph Batchelder of Wenham Jan. 31, 1737-8, was a great-granddaughter of Allan Perley of Ipswich, the immigrant, and his wife Susanna Bokenson, through their son John Perley of Boxford, born 1636, of whom and his wife Mary Howlett was born Mrs. Batchelder's father, Lt. Thomas Perley, in Boxford in 1668. Mrs. Batchelder was born in Boxford June 7, 1714, her mother being Hannah Goodhue, and a widow Cogswell when married to Mr. Perley. The mother died on Christmas day, 1742, at the age of seventy, Mr. Perley having preceded her Oct. 24, 1740.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

EXTRACT FROM A MANUSCRIPT COLLECTION OF ANNALS RELATIVE TO VIRGINIA. From the Virginia Gazette of April 21, 1774. This is the September number of The American Colonial Tracts.

THE OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY. Part III. By *David W. Hoyt*. Providence, 1898. This is the third part of Mr. Hoyt's valuable work on the genealogies of the early families of Salisbury and Amesbury. This part contains eighty pages, and includes the families from Foot to March.



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DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM ALLEN OF SALISBURY.

WILLIAM ALLEN¹ was living in Salisbury as early as 1639. He was a house carpenter; and married, first, Ann Goodale of Salisbury. She died in Salisbury "about ye last of May," 1678; and he married Alice, widow of John Roper and John Dickinson. He died in Salisbury June 18, 1686; and she died there April 1, 1687.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 2—I. ABIGAIL², b. Jan. 4, 1639-40; m. Henry Wheeler of Salisbury, mariner, about 1659. She was living in Salisbury in 1679.
- 3—II. HANNAH², b. June 17, 1642; m. Peter Ayers Nov. 1, 1659, in Haverhill.
- 4—III. MARY², b. July 29, 1644; m. George Hewes of Salisbury, mariner, before 1678.
- 5—IV. MARTHA², b. in 1646; m. Richard Hubbard of Salisbury about 1666; and was living in 1678.
- 6—V. JOHN², b. Oct. 9, 1648. *See below* (6).
- 7—VI. WILLIAM², b. Oct. 2, 1650. *See below* (7).
- 8—VII. BENJAMIN², b. in 1652. *See below* (8).
- 9—VIII. JOSEPH², b. 8: 13: 1653. *See below* (9).
- 10—IX. RICHARD², b. 9: 8: 1655; probably had wife Elizabeth; and lived in Haverhill in 1674, probably on land his father had deeded to him that year. He served in King Philip's war, under Lt. Benjamin Swett, in June, 1676; and d. in Salisbury June 8, 1678, probably without issue.
- 11—X. RUTH², b. 12: 19: 1657; probably d. young.
- 12—XI. JEREMIAH², b. 12: 17: 1658; lieutenant; freeman, 1690; lived in Salisbury; husbandman; and m., first, Ann Bradbury in 1686. She d. Jan. 26, 1732-3; and he m., second, Hannah Walker Nov. 20, 1735. He d. July 20, 1738; and his widow, Hannah, d. Oct. 12, 1753, in Salisbury. He probably had no children.

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CAPT. JOHN ALLEN², born in Salisbury Oct. 9, 1648. He was first called a planter, then mariner, and subsequently vintner and yeoman respectively. On going to sea in 1682 he appointed his wife his attorney. He lived in Salisbury; was made freeman in 1690; and married Mary, daughter of Maj. Robert Pike, and widow of Jedediah Andross, Aug. 30, 1674. She died in Salisbury April 28, 1695; and he died there, suddenly, Feb. 27, 1696-7.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 13—I. HOPESTILL³, b. Nov. 12, 1674; d. May 26, 1680.
- 14—II. SARAH³, b. Feb. 9, 1676-7; m. John Gorden of Exeter, N. H., Dec. 23, 1697. She perhaps m., second, Benjamin Wentworth of Dover.
- 15—III. HOPESTILL³, b. 11: 1: 1680; d. April 12, 1681.
- 16—IV. MARY³, b. 10: 27: 1681; a cripple; living, unmarried, in 1701.
- 17—V. HANNAH³, b. Oct. 22, 1686; m. Thomas Morrill June 7, 1705.
- 18—VI. ANN³, b. Nov. 4, 1689; d. about 1690.

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ENS. WILLIAM ALLEN², born in Salisbury Oct. 2, 1650. He was a farmer; and lived in Salisbury, being made a freeman in 1690. He married Mary Harris of Rowley July 5, 1674; and died May 10, 1700. She died, his widow, at her son William's house at Greenland, N. H., Jan. 23, 1720-1.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 19—I. WILLIAM³, b. June 20, 1675; d. young.
- 20—II. STILSON³, b. Jan. 29, 1676-7. *See below* (20).
- 21—III. ANN³, b. May 3, 1678; m. Jonathan Bill of Boston Jan. 2, 1700-1.

- 22—IV. WILLIAM³, b. June 14, 1680; lived "in Portsmouth, in the parish of Greenland, N. H.," after 1702; and was living there in 1721. Clerk.
- 23—V. ABIGAIL³, b. July 2, 1683; m. Joseph Wadleigh of Salisbury, carpenter, Jan. 9, 1711-2; and probably removed to New Hampshire. She was living in 1717.
- 24—VI. JUDITH³, b. Jan. 17, 1686; d. April 5, 1703.
- 25—VII. DOROTHY³, b. Aug. 12, 1688; probably m. Ephraim Hackett.
- 26—VIII. MARY³, b. Dec. 1, 1692; d. April 6, 1703.
- 27—IX. JOHN³, b. Dec. 25, 1694. *See below* (27).

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BENJAMIN ALLEN², born in Salisbury in 1652. He was called a seaman in 1684, a wheelwright in 1680, 1686, and 1688-9, and a planter in 1674, 1675 and 1681. He lived in Salisbury until 1694, when he removed to Rehoboth. He married, first, Rachel, widow of Henry Wheeler, of Salisbury Sept. 3, 1686. She died at Rehoboth, and was buried May 5, 1694. He married, second, Hopestill Leonard of Rehoboth Nov. 13, 1695; and she died in Rehoboth Aug. —, 1729. He died there Sept. 3, 1723.

Children:—

- 28—I. ELIZABETH³, b. Sept. 6, 1687, in Salisbury.
- 29—II. BENJAMIN³, b. May 20, 1689, in Salisbury.
- 30—III. SQUIRE³, b. March 26, 1691, in Salisbury; was a physician; and lived in Rehoboth, where he died March —, 1726-7. He married Rebecca Hunt of Rehoboth Nov. 6, 1718.
- 31—IV. JEREMIAH³, b. March 25, 1692-3, in Salisbury; living in Rehoboth, blacksmith, in 1736-7.
- 32—V. JOSEPH³, b. May 25, 1697, in Rehoboth; was a boatman, and lived in Barrington, in Bristol county. He m. Sarah May of Barrington Oct. 6, 1720. Capt. Joseph Allen d. Oct. 17, 1754.
- 33—VI. JEMIMA³, b. April 1, 1698, in Rehoboth.
- 34—VII. JOHN³, b. Aug. 21, 1699, in Rehoboth.
- 35—VIII. MARY³, b. Aug. 22, 1700, in Rehoboth; m. Ephraim Dean of Taunton May 7, 1724.
- 36—IX. ANNE³, b. March 29, 1704, in Rehoboth; m. Joseph Hayward of Ashford Nov. 25, 1731.

- 37—X. RACHEL³, b. March 31, 1705-6, in Rehoboth.
- 38—XI. DAVID³, b. Dec. 9, 1707, in Rehoboth; yeoman; lived in Rehoboth; m. Hannah — before 1732; and d. June 21, 1751. She d. June 18, 1751.
- 39—XII. MARTHA³, b. July 18, 1711, in Rehoboth.

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CAPT. JOSEPH ALLEN², born in Salisbury 8:13:1653. He was a blacksmith and yeoman; and lived in Gloucester. He married, first, Rachel Griggs of Gloucester July 29, 1680. She died April 26, 1684; and he married, second, Rose Howard of Cape Ann Nov. 20, 1684. He died Oct. 6, 1724, aged seventy-one; and his wife Rose died Oct. 27, 1724, at the age of about sixty.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 40—I. JOSEPH³, b. June 2, 1681. *See below* (40).
- 41—II. JEREMIAH³, b. Dec. 12, 1682; d. Dec. 22, 1682.
- 42—III. RACHEL³, b. April 17, 1684; was living in 1724.
- 43—IV. SOLOMON³, b. Sept. 22, 1685; d. April 29, 1686.
- 44—V. BENJAMIN³, b. Jan. 23, 1687; d. June 26, 1688.
- 45—VI. — (son)³, b. Sept. 19, 1688; d. Sept. 19, 1688.
- 46—VII. THOMAS³, b. Nov. 14, 1689. *See below* (46).
- 47—VIII. ANNA³, b. Feb. 12, 1691; of Gloucester, unmarried, 1712; living in 1724.
- 48—IX. JOHN³, b. April 18, 1692. *See below* (48).
- 49—X. ROSE³, b. July 7, 1694; m. Thomas Lee (pub. Dec. 11, 1725).
- 50—XI. WILLIAM³, b. Nov. 26, 1696; d. Jan. 10, 1697.
- 51—XII. MARY³ (twin), b. Nov. (Oct.?) 6, 1697; d. Oct. 7, 1697.
- 52—XIII. PATIENCE³ (twin), b. Nov. (Oct.?) 6, 1697; d. Oct. 9, 1697.
- 53—XIV. JEREMIAH³, b. Nov. 15, 1698; lost at sea Oct. —, 1716, aged seventeen.
- 54—XV. SAMUEL³, b. March 9, 1701. *See below* (54).
- 55—XVI. ZERUBBABEL³, b. Feb. 26, 1702-3. *See below* (55).
- 56—XVII. MARY³, b. Jan. 9, 1705-6; d. Dec. 10, 1706.

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STILSON ALLEN³, born in Salisbury Jan. 29, 1676-7. He was a cooper and yeoman; and lived in Salisbury. He married Margaret —, who died May 14, 1734. He probably died in 1736.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 57—I. MARGARET⁴, b. Dec. 20, 1697; m. Benjamin French March 20, 1717-8.
 58—II. JEREMIAH⁴, b. Nov. 24, 1699; yeoman; lived in Salisbury; m. Sarah Fitts Feb. 8, 1720-1; and d. in 1761, probably childless. His will, dated Feb. 7, 1761, was proved March 30, 1761. His wife survived him.
 59—III. RUTH⁴, b. March 5, 1700-1; m. Benjamin Morrill Jan. 21, 1719-20.
 60—IV. WILLIAM⁴, b. Nov. 23, 1702[?] (1702?). *See below (60)*.
 61—V. MARY⁴, b. Oct. 20, 1706; probably m. James Toppan (pub. April 23, 1725).
 62—VI. ANN⁴, b. Feb. 11, 1709; probably m. Henry True (pub. Sept. 17, 1727).
 63—VII. ELISHA⁴, b. July 6, 1710. *See below (63)*.
 64—VIII. STILSON⁴, b. May 15, 1713; m. Elizabeth Brown (pub. May 4, 1740); and d. May 5, 1764.
 65—IX. ELEANOR⁴, bapt. June 12, 1715.
 66—X. DOROTHY⁴, b. April 11, 1719; probably m. Ephraim Hackett (pub. Feb. 6, 1734-5).

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JOHN ALLEN,³ born in Salisbury Dec. 25, 1694. He was a yeoman; and lived in his native town. He married, first, Hannah Weare of Hampton (published Feb. 1, 1717-8); and she died Nov. 13, 1754. He married, second, Mary Gould of Amesbury Nov. 23, 1758. She was living in 1761; and he died Nov. 28, 1774.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 67—I. JUDITH⁴, b. Feb. 22, 1718-9; m. Samuel Greeley of Salisbury before 1761; and was living in Salisbury in 1771.
 68—II. WILLIAM⁴, b. Feb. 23, 1720-1; d. July 20, 1751.
 69—III. DANIEL⁴, b. March 17, 1722-3. *See below (69)*.
 70—IV. JOHN⁴, b. Aug. 23, 1725; blacksmith; received his father's homestead by the latter's will, but lived in Boston, where he d. in 1782. His wife Elizabeth survived him.
 71—V. MARY⁴, b. Aug. 18, 1727; d. young.
 72—VI. JEREMIAH⁴, b. Sept. 1, 1728. *See below (72)*.
 73—VII. BENJAMIN⁴, b. Dec. 6, 1730; d. Dec. 6, 1751.
 74—VIII. NATHAN⁴, b. July 26, 1732. *See below (74)*.
 75—IX. MARY⁴, b. Dec. 12, 1734; m. Samuel Baker Dec. 13, 1757.
 76—X. HANNAH⁴, b. July 3, 1737 (1736—*baptism*); m. Isaac Colby, jr., of Amesbury Jan. 11, 1759.

77—XI. BETTY⁴, b. April 30, 1741; d. Dec. 22, 1745.

78—XII. DOROTHY⁴, b. Aug. 3, 1745 (1744—*baptism*); m. Robert Carr Nov. 14, 1769; and both were living in Salisbury in 1783.

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CAPT. JOSEPH ALLEN³ born in Gloucester June 2, 1681. He lived in Gloucester; and in early life was a mariner. In 1720, he became a merchant, and continued such until his decease. He was a large land owner, and had eight negro slaves. In many documents he is called "gentleman," and the last fifteen years of his life "esquire." He married Mary Coit Jan. —, 1707; and died April 6, 1750, aged sixty-eight. She survived him, and died Sept. 12, 1777.

Children, born in Gloucester :—

- 79—I. MARY⁴, b. Nov. 13, 1707; m. John Low of Gloucester; and d. before 1750.
 80—II. JOSEPH⁴, b. Oct. 30, 1709. *See below (80)*.
 81—III. RACHEL⁴, b. Aug. 16, 1711; m. Capt. John Stevens before 1734; lived in Gloucester; and d. between 1751 and 1754.
 82—IV. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Oct. 12, 1713; bapt. Oct. 11(?), 1713; m. Capt. William Stevens of Gloucester before 1736; and she d. between 1751 and 1786. He was a shoreman.
 83—V. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Jan. 6, 1715-6; m. Capt. William Ellery of Gloucester, merchant, before 1750.
 84—VI. WILLIAM⁴, b. June 30, 1717. *See below (84)*.
 85—VII. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Oct. 14, 1718; bapt. Sept. 7, 1718(?). *See below (85)*.
 86—VIII. MARTHA⁴, b. May 7, 1720; m. Rev. Aaron Smith (pub. July 12, 1740); and lived in Marlborough. She d. between 1751 and 1768. He d. in East Sudbury in 1781, aged sixty-seven.
 87—IX. ANNA⁴, b. Feb. 16, 1721-2; bapt. Jan. (?) 21, 1721-2; d. June 24, 1739.
 88—X. SUSANNA⁴, b. March 4, 1723-4; m. Rev. John Rogers of Gloucester; and d. before 1750.
 89—XI. LUCY⁴, b. April 19, 1728; m. Col. Thomas Marshall of Boston before 1764; and both were living at Westtown in 1781.

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LT. THOMAS ALLEN³, born in Gloucester Nov. 14, 1689. He lived in his na-

tive town; and was a blacksmith after having been to sea until he was thirty years old. He married, first, Elizabeth Coit of Gloucester Feb. 8, 1711. She died July 15, 1756, and he married, second, Jemima (Haskell) Davis, widow of Joseph, of Gloucester July 8, 1758. He made his will Feb. 10, 1778; and it was proved Oct. 4, 1779. His wife Jemima survived him.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 90—I. THOMAS⁴, b. Nov. 15, 1711. *See below* (90).
- 91—II. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Oct. 5, 1713; bapt. Oct. 4 (?), 1713; d. Dec. 25, 1713.
- 92—III. ELIZABETH⁴, b. April 25, 1715; d. May 22, 1717.
- 93—IV. JEREMIAH⁴, b. May 30, 1717; d., while a student in Harvard College, of fever, in Newbury Aug. 23, 1737, aged twenty.
- 94—V. JOB⁴, b. May 21, 1719; d. March 30, 1721.
- 95—VI. DAVID⁴, b. April 25, 1722. *See below* (95).
- 96—VII. SOLOMON⁴, b. March 23, 1724; d. Feb. —, 1726.
- 97—VIII. MARY⁴, b. March 19, 1726; d. June 25, 1730.
- 98—IX. COIT⁴, b. Aug. —, 1728; bapt. Aug. 18, 1728; d. Sept. 22, 1728.
- 99—X. ISAAC⁴, b. June 18, 1731. *See below* (99).

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JOHN ALLEN³, born in Gloucester April 18, 1692. He was a husbandman; and lived in Gloucester. He married Eunice Stone of Beverly (published Dec. 16, 1716). Administration on his estate was granted May 1, 1739. His wife survived him, being his widow in 1746.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 100—I. AMBROSE⁴, b. Sept. 7, 1718. *See below* (100).
- 101—II. JOHN⁴, b. Oct. 4, 1720. *See below* (101).
- 102—III. ROSE⁴, b. Oct. 23, 1722; d. before 1748.
- 103—IV. NEHEMIAH⁴, b. March 1, 1723-4. *See below* (103).
- 104—V. EUNICE⁴, b. June 29, 1726; living in 1748.
- 105—VI. SARAH⁴, b. Sept. 8, 1728; bapt. Sept. 1 (?), 1728; probably d., unmarried, before 1748.
- 106—VII. SOLOMON⁴, b. Jan. 12, 1730-1. *See below* (106).
- 107—VIII. JEREMIAH⁴, born in 173-. *See below* (107).

54

SAMUEL ALLEN³, born in Gloucester March 9, 1701. He was a yeoman and trader; and lived in Newbury from his marriage until 1763, when he settled in Billerica. He married, first, Mary March of Newbury Jan. 26, 1726-7. She died April 17, 1735, in Newbury; and he married, second, Hannah Godfrey of Newbury Sept. 25, 1735. He made his will Feb. 3, 1775.

Children:—

- 108—I. JOHN⁴, b. April 6, 1728, in Newbury; d. May 4, 1728.
- 109—II. MARY⁴, b. May 27, 1729, in Newbury; d. Sept. 16, 1729.
- 110—III. ANNE⁴, b. Aug. 18, 1730, in Newbury; d. Sept. 16, 1730.
- 111—IV. SAMUEL⁴, b. Nov. 18, 1731, in Newbury; d. young.
- 112—V. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Jan. 1, 1733, in Newbury; m. Josiah Lunt of Newburyport Nov. 21, 1751, and was living in 1775.
- 113—VI. SAMUEL⁴, b. June 1, 1737, in Newbury; m. Sally Goodrich of Newbury (pub. Nov. 10, 1759); and lived in Gloucester and Billerica, dying at Halifax in 1768.
- 114—VII. JOSEPH⁴, b. Nov. 29, 1738, in Manchester; d. at sea.
- 115—VIII. DORCAS⁴, b. July 31, 1740, in Manchester; m. Michael Parsons; and was living in 1775.
- 116—IX. MICHAEL⁴, b. Aug. 18, 1742, in Manchester; captured at sea, and impressed into the English service.
- 117—X. THOMAS⁴, b. June 7, 1744, in Manchester; m. Abigail Harvey of Cape Ann Oct. 13, 1768; lived in Billerica; and had five children.
- 118—XI. MARY⁴, b. March 12, 1745-6, in Manchester; d. in Billerica.
- 119—XII. ZADOCK⁴, b. Feb. 23, 1748-9, in Manchester; d. in Billerica.
- 120—XIII. ANNA⁴, b. Sept. 28, 1750, in Manchester; d. young.
- 121—XIV. ZERUBBABEL⁴ (twin), b. Feb. 11, 1752, in Manchester.
- 122—XV. JEREMIAH⁴ (twin), b. Feb. 11, 1752, in Manchester; m. Abigail Rogers July 4, 1776; lived in Billerica; and had ten children.
- 123—XVI. ANNA⁴, b. Sept. 18, 1757, in Manchester.

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ZERUBBABEL ALLEN³, born in Gloucester Feb. 26, 1702-3. He was a yeoman; and lived in Gloucester. He married Lydia

Parsons July 2, 1728. Administration was granted on his estate June 4, 1750. His widow married, secondly, John Low of Gloucester before 1753. Mr. Low died before 1769, and she survived him.

Children, born in Gloucester :—

- 124—I. ZERUBBABEL⁴, b. June 2, 1729. *See below (124).*
- 125—II. LYDIA⁴, b. Jan. 12, 1730-1; unmarried in 1766.
- 126—III. EBENEZER⁴, b. Oct. 31, 1732; d. young.
- 127—IV. JACOB⁴, b. June 27, 1734. *See below (127).*
- 128—V. EBENEZER⁴, b. May 10, 1737; m. Sarah Bennett (pub. Nov. 1, 1760); was a cabinet-maker; and lived in Gloucester. He made his will Feb. 1, 1766; and it was proved March 24, 1766. His wife died before him, and he probably left no children.
- 129—VI. JOSEPH⁴, b. April 30, 1739; probably d. young.
- 130—VII. MOSES⁴, b. Aug. 15, 1741; living in 1751.
- 131—VIII. STEPHEN⁴, b. June 21, 1746; sea-captain; lived in Gloucester; was living in 1769; and administration was granted on his estate March 30, 1773.

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CAPT. WILLIAM ALLEN⁴, born in Salisbury Nov. 23, 1703. He lived in Salisbury upon the homestead, which his father deeded to him in 1722-3, until 1746, when he bought land in that part of Newbury which was afterwards Newburyport, and removed thither, living there until his death. He was an innholder until 1733, and afterwards followed the occupation of a shipwright. He was called "gentleman" frequently after 1737. He was an early proprietor of the Federal street church. He married, first, Hannah Moody Jan. 3, 1722-3. She died Nov. 5, 1744; and he married, second, Mrs. Elizabeth Giles of Newbury Oct. 10, 1745. He made his will Feb. —, 1765; and it was proved June 19, 1784. She died, his widow, in 1786; her will being dated April 6, 1786, and proved June 26, 1786.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 132—I. NANNIE⁵, b. June 11, 1723; m Thomas Stocker March 10, 1742-3; and was living in 1786. She was also called "Anna."

- 133—II. SAMUEL⁵, b. Oct. 11, 1725. *See below (133).*
- 134—III. HANNAH⁵, b. Feb. 2, 1727-8; d. in Salisbury Oct. 13, 1736.
- 135—IV. HANNAH⁵, m. Jonathan Parsons, jr., of Newbury, blacksmith, before 1757; and was living in 1786.

63

ELISHA ALLEN⁴, born in Salisbury July 6, 1710. He was a joiner; and lived in Salisbury. He married Sarah Bradbury June 4, 1730, in Salisbury; and was living in Salisbury in 1743. He acknowledged a deed in New Hampshire in 1749, having probably removed thither.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 136—I. MARY⁵, b. Nov. 17, 1731; d. Nov. 11, 1736.
- 137—II. WILLIAM⁵, b. Nov. 23, 1733; d. Oct. 27, 1736.
- 138—III. MARGARET⁵, b. Feb. 22, 1735-6.
- 139—IV. MARY⁵, b. June 8, 1738.
- 140—V. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Nov. 18, 1740.
- 141—VI. SARAH⁵, b. Feb. 14, 1742-3.

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DANIEL ALLEN⁴, born in Salisbury March 17, 1722-3. He lived in Salisbury; and married Sarah ———. Administration was granted on his estate July 29, 1751; and his widow, Sarah, married, secondly, Samuel Brown of Salisbury Nov. 28, 1751. They were living in 1765.

Child :—

- 142—I. JUDITH⁵, living in 1761.

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JEREMIAH ALLEN⁴, born in Salisbury Sept. 1, 1728. He was a yeoman; and lived in Salisbury until 1758, when he conveyed his house, barn and land to his father, and removed to Hampstead, N. H., where he was living in 1765. He married Abigail Currier of South Hampton (published Oct. 18, 1751).

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 143—I. BETTY⁵, b. March 28, 1753.
- 144—II. BENJAMIN⁵, b. Nov. 1, 1754.
- 145—III. MOSES⁵, b. April 5, 1756.

74

NATHAN ALLEN⁴, born in Salisbury July 26, 1732. He was a blacksmith; and lived in Newbury. He married Joanna Cheney of Newbury Sept. 24, 1754; and died in Newbury July 25, 1761, aged

twenty-eight. His wife survived him; and married, secondly, Henry Somerby of Newbury Nov. 4, 1764. She was living in 1773.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 146—I. JOHN⁵, b. Nov. 7, 1755.
- 147—II. JOSEPH⁵, b. Dec. 17, 1757; living in 1783; probably m. Martha Stanwood (pub. in Newburyport Feb. 20, 1783).
- 148—III. JANE⁵, b. Jan. 2, 1760.
- 149—IV. NATHAN⁵, b. June 1, 1761. *See below* (149).
- 150—V. HANNAH WEARE⁵, m. Billing Putnam before 1783.
- 151—VI. JUDITH⁵, m. Nathaniel Brickett, jr., of Newbury June 11, 1783.

80

JOSEPH ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester Oct. 30, 1709. He was a trader; and lived in Gloucester. He married Martha Hubbard of Boston (published Dec. 28, 1731); and died in Gloucester April 24, 1739, aged twenty-eight. His wife survived him.

Child, born in Gloucester:—

- 152—I. JOSEPH⁵, b. in 1735; bapt. Aug. 10, 1735; probably d. young, as his father's estate was divided between the widow and Mr. Allen's father in 1742.

84

COL. WILLIAM ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester June 30, 1717. Lived in Gloucester until he removed to New Gloucester, Me., where he was one of the early settlers. He married Mary Osgood of Andover April 11, 1745.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 153—I. MARY⁵, b. March 29, 1745; d. April 5, 1745.
- 154—II. JOSEPH⁵, b. Feb. 24, 1746; removed to Maine.
- 156—III. MARY⁵, b. Nov. 3, 1748.
- 157—IV. WILLIAM⁵, b. July 30, 1750; d. in Gloucester March —, 1825, leaving several children.
- 158—V. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Oct. 27, 1752; m. Samuel Stevens; and d. in Portland at the age of ninety-eight.
- 159—VI. DORCAS⁵, b. Aug. 1, 1754.
- 160—VII. JOHN⁵, b. March 25, 1756.
- 161—VIII. BENJAMIN⁵, b. Jan. 4, 1758.
- 162—IX. NATHANIEL COIT⁵, b. Aug. 29, 1759; served in the Revolution.
- 163—X. AARON⁵, b. Jan. 12, 1761; d. Feb. 16, 1766.
- 164—XI. CHRISTOPHER⁵, b. Oct. 29, 1763; d. Nov. 17, 1763.

- 165—XII. CHRISTOPHER⁵, b. April 16, 1765.
- 166—XIII. AARON⁵, b. Dec. 17, 1766.

85

NATHANIEL ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester Oct. 14, 1718. He was a merchant; and resided in his native town until about 1775, when he removed to Dover, N. H., where he was living in 1777. He was an "esquire" for many years, after 1757. He married, first, Mrs. Mary Gee of Boston (published Sept. 1, 1744). She died in Gloucester June 15, 1753, aged twenty-nine; and he married, second, Sarah Sargent of Salem Nov. 21, 1754. She was his wife in 1777.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 167—I. NATHANIEL⁵, b. Aug. 26, 1745; d. of small pox in April, 1764.
- 168—II. MARY, bapt. April 5, 1746-7; probably d. young.
- 169—III. JOSEPH⁵, b. April 15, 1748; d. young.
- 170—IV. JOSHUA⁵, b. Sept. 15, 1750; bapt. Sept. 9 (?), 1750.
- 171—V. JOSEPH⁵, b. March 7, 1751-2; d. Mar. 30, 1752.
- 172—VI. GEORGE⁵, b. March 18, 1753; d. June 4, 1753.

90

THOMAS ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester Nov. 15, 1711. He was a sail maker; and lived in Gloucester. He married, first, Jemima Haskell, jr., Nov. 23, 1732. She died March 2, 1737, aged twenty-two; and he married, second, Mary Grover (published Sept. 10, 1737). She was his wife in 1773, when he was living.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 173—I. THOMAS⁵, b. Sept. 4, 1733; living in 1778.
- 174—II. WILLIAM⁵, b. May 27, 1735. *See below* (174).
- 175—III. JOB⁵, b. Feb. 17, 1736-7. *See below* (175).
- 176—IV. MARY⁵, b. Sept. 9, 1738; d. Nov. 15, 1738.
- 177—V. MARY⁵, b. Jan. 6, 1739-40.
- 178—VI. JEMIMA⁵, b. March 18, 1742; living in 1778.
- 179—VII. JEREMIAH⁵, b. April 22, 1745; d. Jan. 28, 1746.
- 180—VIII. ELIZABETH⁵ (twin), b. March 26, 1746-7; d. April 10, 1747.
- 181—IX. JOHN⁵ (twin), stillborn March 27, 1746-7.
- 182—X. JEREMIAH⁵, bapt. April 3, 1748.

- 183—XI. JOHN⁵,* bapt. Sept. 3, 1749.
 184—XII. SARAH⁵,* bapt. Sept. 3, 1749.
 185—XIII. DANIEL⁵, bapt. July 21, 1751.

95

DEA. DAVID ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester April 25, 1722. He lived in his native town; and was a shoreman, being also called a yeoman in 1763, and a trader in 1752 and 1767. He married, first, Mary White, daughter of Rev. John White, of Gloucester Sept. 3, 1745. She was living in 1763, and probably died soon after, as he married, second, Sarah Allen (probably widow of Zerubbabel Allen (124) Aug. 26, 1766. She was his wife in 1773; and he died before 1778.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 186—I. MARY⁵, b. Aug. 4, 1746; d. young.
 187—II. MARY⁵, b. Dec. 7, 1747; d. young.
 188—III. DAVID⁵, b. Jan. 26, 1750; living in 1778; sailed from Boston in the Revolution in command of a privateer, which two hours later sank with all on board.
 189—IV. LUCY⁵, b. May 6, 1752; living in 1778.
 190—V. ELIZABETH⁵, b. July 26, 1754; d. young.
 191—VI. MARTHA⁵, b. May 11, 1757; probably d. young.
 192—VII. MARY⁵, b. Jan. 6, 1759; living in 1778.
 193—VIII. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Aug. 9, 1761; living in 1778.
 194—IX. MARTHA⁵, bapt. Nov. 6, 1763; living with her grandfather Allen, unmarried, in 1778.
 195—X. SARAH⁵, b. May 22, 1767; living in 1778.
 196—XI. REBECCA⁵ (twin), bapt. March 11, 1770; m. Thomas Baker.
 197—XII. ISAAC⁵ (twin), bapt. March 11, 1770; m. Lydia Sargent June 7, 1795.

99

ISAAC ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester June 18, 1731. He lived in Gloucester; and was called a yeoman in 1755 and shoreman in 1757. He married Abigail White, sister to his brother David's wife, Nov. 8, 1751; and died in Gloucester Dec. 19, 1757. She died before 1762.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 198—I. ISAAC⁵, b. Aug. 29, 1752; d. July 16, 1754.
 199—II. THOMAS⁵, b. Jan. 20, 1754. *See below (199).*

*Probably twins.

- 200—III. ABIGAIL⁵, b. May 5, 1755; living, unmarried, in 1778.
 201—IV. ISAAC⁵, bapt. Nov. 28, 1756; living in 1778; settled in New Gloucester, Me.
 202—V. MARY⁵, bapt. Jan. 17, 1762.

100

AMBROSE ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester Sept. 7, 1718. He lived in his native town; and was a yeoman. He married Lucy Hodgkins (published April 20, 1740); and was living in 1758.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 203—I. AMBROSE⁵, b. Nov. 23, 1740; d. young.
 204—II. LUCY⁵, b. Jan. 16, 1746.
 205—III. SUSANNA⁵, b. Aug. 9, 1751.
 206—IV. JEMIMA⁵, b. Feb. 6, 1754.
 207—V. ANNE⁵, b. Jan. 27, 1756.
 208—VI. AMBROSE⁵, bapt. Sept. 16, 1760. *See below (208).*

101

JOHN ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester Oct. 4, 1720. He was a joiner; and lived in Gloucester. He married Abigail Davis (published July 28, 1744). Administration was granted on his estate July 24, 1749.* She survived him, and married Robert Cleves of Beverly, at Gloucester, Sept. 28, 1752.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 209—I. JOHN⁵, b. June 4, 1746; probably d. young.
 210—II. DAVIS⁵, bapt. March 16, 1747-8. *See below (210).*

103

NEHEMIAH ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester March 1, 1723-4. He was a husbandman and fisherman, and lived in his native town. He married Abigail Stanwood (published Nov. 14, 1747).

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 211—I. SARAH⁵, b. Oct. 13, 1748.
 212—II. JOHN⁵, b. Nov. 19, 1750; m. Esther Sargent Nov. 12, 1772.
 213—III. NEHEMIAH⁵, b. Aug. 27, 1752; m. Elizabeth Parsons Nov. 8, 1779.
 214—IV. ABIGAIL⁵, b. Aug. 11, 1754.
 215—V. WILLIAM⁵, b. Oct. 12, 1756; settled in New Gloucester, Me.; soldier in the Revolution; m. widow Peggy (Wadsworth) Hammond April 24, 1780, in New Gloucester.

*In the account of the administrator of his estate is a charge for a child's coffin.

- 216—VI. JAMES⁵, b. Oct. 4, 1758.
 217—VII. JOSHUA⁵, b. June 2, 1761.
 218—VIII. JOB⁵, bapt. July 17, 1763.
 219—IX. ISAAC⁵, b. Oct. 6, 1766.
 220—X. MARY⁵, b. Dec. 4, 1768.
 221—XI. NATHANIEL⁵, bapt. Nov. 24, 1771.

106

SOLOMON ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester Jan. 12, 1730-1. He was a mariner, and lived in Gloucester. He married Susanna Riggs June 6, 1754.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 222—I. SOLOMON⁵, b. April 8, 1755. *See below (222)*.
 223—II. SUSANNA⁵, b. June 7, 1757; d. Dec. 25, 1758.
 224—III. SUSANNA⁵, b. Dec. 12, 1759; m. Zebulon Davis (pub. Nov. 21, 1785).
 225—IV. EXPERIENCE⁵, b. March 24, 1766; d. March 24, 1785.
 226—V. SARAH⁵, b. Jan. 16, 1768.
 227—VI. JOHN⁵, bapt. Sept. 27, 1772; d. young.
 228—VII. MARTHA⁵, b. Dec. 2, 1774.
 229—VIII. JOHN⁵, b. Nov. 17, 1780.
 230—IX. MARK⁵, b. May 2, 1783; m. Hannah Floyd of Newbury Dec. 13, 1807.

107

JEREMIAH ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester in 173-. He married Abigail Allen of Manchester March 20, 1760; and lived in his native town until about 1768, when he removed to Manchester.

Children:—

- 231—I. JEREMIAH⁵, b. June 23, 1764, in Gloucester.
 232—II. JOSEPH⁵, b. July 14, 1765, in Gloucester.
 233—III. BENJAMIN⁵, b. Aug. 29, 1766, in Gloucester.
 234—IV. ABIGAIL⁵, bapt. Sept. 4, 1768, in Gloucester.
 235—V. MOSES⁵, b. May 25, 1770, in Manchester.
 236—VI. ELISHA⁵, b. Oct. 14, 1771, in Manchester.
 237—VII. AARON⁵, b. May 30, 1773, in Manchester.

124

ZERUBBABEL ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester June 2, 1729. He was a mariner, and lived in Gloucester. He married Sarah Robinson (pub. Nov. 2, 1751). He was lost at sea in 1756; and administration was granted on his estate April 11, 1757. His wife survived him; and probably married, secondly, Dea. David Allen (95).

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 238—I. ANDREW⁵, b. Nov. 11, 1752. *See below (238)*.
 239—II. MARY⁵, b. Feb. 13, 1755.
 240—III. ZERUBBABEL⁵, b. Oct. 25, 1756, posthumous; one of the crew of the ill-fated privateer *Gloucester*, who were lost at sea in 1777.

127

CAPT. JACOB ALLEN⁴, born in Gloucester June 27, 1734. He was a mariner, and lived in his native town. He married, first, Sarah Parsons May 16, 1758; second, Sarah ——. Administration was granted on his estate Nov. 7, 1786. His widow, Sarah Allen, was living in Gloucester in 1791.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 241—I. SARAH⁵, b. Aug. 22, 1762; living in Gloucester, unmarried, in 1791.
 242—II. LYDIA⁵, b. Dec. 17, 1766; living, unmarried, in 1791.

133

SAMUEL ALLEN⁵, born in Salisbury Oct. 11, 1725. His father willed his land in Topsham, on Kennebec river, to him. He was living in 1786.

Child:—

- 243—I. WILLIAM⁶, living in 1765.

149

NATHAN ALLEN⁵, born in Newbury June 1, 1761. He was a blacksmith; and lived in Newbury. He married Abigail Homan of Newbury Aug. 25, 1784. Administration was granted on his estate Oct. 11, 1799. His wife survived him.

Child, born in Newburyport:—

- 244—I. HANNAH⁶, b. Jan. 3, 1787.

174

WILLIAM ALLEN⁵, born in Gloucester May 27, 1735. He married Hannah Pulcifer April 26, 1757; and lived in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 245—I. WILLIAM⁶, b. April 24, 1758. *See below (245)*.
 246—II. NATHANIEL⁶, b. Oct. 31, 1759.
 247—III. HANNAH⁶, b. July 7, 1761.
 248—IV. MARY⁶, b. May 31, 1764; d. young.
 249—V. JUDITH⁶, b. May 13, 1766.
 250—VI. EXPERIENCE⁶, bapt. Oct. 16, 1768.
 251—VII. SARAH⁶, b. Oct. 21, 1769.
 252—VIII. ELIZABETH⁶, b. Feb. 2, 1772; m. Robert Bruce of Gloucester Jan. 9, 1795.

- 253—IX. DANIEL⁶, b. May 27, 1775; m. Sally Witham of Gloucester (pub. Sept. 9, 1797).
 254—X. MARY⁶, bapt. Oct. 5, 1777; d., of dropsy, Aug. 27, 1807.

175

JOB ALLEN⁵, born in Gloucester Feb. 17, 1736-7. He married Sarah Milberry Dec. 8, 1757; and lived in Gloucester. He died before April 28, 1766.

Child, born in Gloucester:—

- 255—I. SARAH⁶, b. Oct. 23, 1758; living in 1766.

199

THOMAS ALLEN⁵, born in Gloucester Jan. 20, 1754. He was a yeoman; and lived in Gloucester, except in 1785, when he is called of Manchester. His wife was Jemima. In 1778, he was living with his grandfather Allen. He died in February, 1839, aged eighty-five.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 256—I. NABBY⁶, b. Nov. 1, 1781; m. Samuel Groton of Ipswich (pub. Sept. 29, 1798).
 257—II. POLLY⁶, b. April 26, 1783.
 258—III. JEMIMA⁶, bapt. July 24, 1784.
 259—IV. THOMAS⁶, bapt. May 14, 1786; d. young.
 260—V. DAVID⁶, b. June 12, 1793; lived on the paternal homestead.
 261—VI. THOMAS⁶, b. July 24, 1798.
 262—VII. WILLIAM⁶, captain; lost at sea when returning from West Indies, about 1822, in the schooner *Diligent*.

208

AMBROSE ALLEN⁵, baptized in Gloucester Sept. 16, 1760. He married Elizabeth Robins (also, *Roberts*) Dec. 20, 1781; and lived in Gloucester.

Child, born in Gloucester:—

- 263—I. AMBROSE⁶, b. Aug. 9, 1782; m. Sally Burnham; lived in Gloucester; and had children.

210

DAVIS ALLEN⁵, baptized in Gloucester March 16, 1747-8. He lived in Beverly; and was a mariner. He married Charity Lurvey of Beverly (published Oct. 21, 1770).

Children, born in Beverly:—

- 264—I. MARY PRINCE⁶, b. March 27, 1773; m. John Calf of Castine, Me., Dec. 30, 1798.

- 265—II. DAVIS⁶, b. Sept. 27, 1775; m. Lydia Patch of Hamilton (pub. Feb. 16, 1800).
 266—III. ABIGAIL⁶, b. Nov. 24, 1777.
 267—IV. ELIZABETH⁶, b. May 29, 1781; bapt. in Beverly Aug. 4, 1782, when the parents were said to be of Biddeford.

222

CAPT. SOLOMON ALLEN⁵, born in Gloucester April 8, 1755. He was a mariner; and lived in Gloucester. He married, first, Mary Haskell Oct. 13, 1780; second, Mrs. Esther Wallace Nov. 27, 1796; and, third, Abigail Flowers (published May 20, 1800). His wife Esther was living in 1799.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 268—I. ISRAEL⁶, b. March 13, 1781.
 269—II. CHARLOTTE⁶, b. June 19, 1783; m. John Ray Hubbard of Gloucester (pub. Aug. 10, 1799).
 270—III. THANKFUL HASKELL⁶, b. June 14, 1785.
 271—IV. CHARLES⁶, b. Jan. 16, 1788.
 272—V. ADONIRAM HASKIN⁶, b. Oct. 2, 1789.
 273—VI. LUCY WOODBURY⁶, b. Aug. 25, 1791.
 274—VII. ELIZA⁶, b. Sept. 7, 1794.
 275—VIII. NANCY⁶, b. Aug. 28, 1796.

238

ANDREW ALLEN⁵, born in Gloucester Nov. 11, 1752. He married, first, Mary Woodbury of Gloucester Nov. 6, 1783; and, second, Rachel Thomas of Gloucester (published Aug. 12, 1797). He lived in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 276—I. ANDREW⁶, b. July 27, 1788.
 277—II. MARK⁶, b. Nov. 9, 1794.
 278—III. RACHEL⁶, bapt. Oct. 14, 1798.

245

WILLIAM ALLEN⁶, born in Gloucester April 24, 1758. He married Tammy Lane June 30, 1786; and lived in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 279—I. GEORGE⁷, b. Nov. 14, 1786; d. at sea.
 280—II. NABBY LANE⁷, b. Sept. 4, 1788.
 281—III. EMILY⁷, b. July 27, 1790.

NOTE.

The records of Newbury give the marriage of Matthew Perkins to Jane Dole Jan. 23, 1763. See *Antiquarian*, volume II, page 70.—*Mrs. Ellen M. Little, Newbury.*

WILL OF SAMUEL SCULLARD.

The will of Samuel Scullard was proved in the Ipswich court 28:7:1647. The following copy is taken from the record contained in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 27, the original being missing.

In the name of god amen In the Twenty seaventh day of March in the yeare of our lord 1647 I Samuell Scullard being fick in body but of pfect memory thanks be given to god; And I doe ordaine & make my laft will & Testament as followeth firft I bequeath my foule to god & my body to the earth in hope to be raifed againe in the refurreccion by Jefus Chrifft my faviour Secondly I give & bequeath all my eftate to my wife & children that is to fay one halfe to my wife & the other half to my two Children Mary & Sarah by equall porcons and my will is y^t if my wife be now with child & bring forth a fonne then my will is that my eftate be diuided into three parts and my fonne to have one part my wife one part & my two daughters one part to be equally divided betweene them But if my wife bring forth a daughter then my will is that my eftate yet fhould be diuided into three pts my wife to have one part & my two daughters to have two parts to be equally diuided betweene them Now my will is that my childrens porcons fhould be improved for the bringing vp of my children vntill they be twelve yeares of age and after the Twelve^y yeares to be improved to their advantage vntill they be eightene yeares age the two daughters or three before, they be married and the fonne at one & Twenty and then to he paid to they themfelves. And for that forty pounds which I am to have of my wives father Richard Kent at his deceafe of my wives porcon my will is that my wife fhould have Thirty pounds of it her felfe be-fides. And I doe not account yt wth my other eftate and for the other ten pounds of it to be equally diuided betweene the Children. Likewife my will is that if any one of my children die that then

that porcon is to be diuided equally betweene my wife & children. Likewife I doe defire my three frends Henry Short Richard Kent Jun & Richard Knight to fee that this my will & Testament be pformed.

In the p^r fence of

John Sweett

[No signature.]

w^m Moneday

Sworne by Henry Short & Richard Knight before the Court held at Ipſwich 28th 7th month 1647.

p me Robert Lord Clerke.

NOTES.

"Laft Thurſday, Mr. SAMUEL WHITE, of Marblehead, Merchant, was married to Miſs HANNAH HOOPER, Daughter of the Honourable ROBERT HOOPER, Eſq; of that Place."—*Essex Gazette*, Oct. 25—Nov. 1, 1768.

Sarah (Mary—*County records*) Abbott of Andover married Josiah Stearns of Bilerica Dec. 4, 1755.

Abraham, a negro, married Dido, a mulatto, both of Andover, Oct. 31, 1744.

—*Andover town records*.

Susanna Aborn of Salem published to Sam Tuxbury of Marblehead Nov. 30, 1759.

William Adams published to Mary Flint, both of Salem, Feb. 12, 1763.

Abigail Adams of Ipswich published to Jonathan Ross of Salem Aug. 16, 1771.

John Abbe, late of Mansfield, Conn., now resident in Salem, published to widow Mary Hawthorne of Salem Nov. 6, 1781.

Mary Abbot published to John Picworth, jr., both of Salem, Jan. 3, 1778.

Sarah Aberdeen published to Edward Smethurst, both of Salem, April 3, 1779.

Mary Aborn published to Joseph Thomson, both of Salem, July 4, 1781.

John Adams published to Mary Hilliard, both of Salem, May 17, 1783.

Jane Aborn published to William Marshall, both of Salem, Aug. 5, 1786.

Sarah Adams published to Jacob Bacon, both of Salem, July 31, 1790.

Frederick Alborn published to Hannah Person, both of Salem, March 11, 1797.

—*Salem town records*.

JAMES OTIS.

When flushed with conquest and elate with pride,
 Britannia's monarch Heaven's high will defied;
 And bent on blood, by lust of rule inclined,
 With odious chains to vex the freeborn mind;
 On these young shores set up unjust command,
 And spread the slaves of office round the land;
 Then Otis rose, and great in patriot fame,
 To listening crowds resistance dared proclaim.
 From soul to soul the bright idea ran,
 The fire of freedom flew from man to man:
 His pen, like Sydney's, made the doctrine known,
 His tongue, like Tully's, shook a tyrant's throne;
 Then men grew bold—and in the public eye,
 The right divine of monarchs dared to try;
 Light shone on all, despotic darkness fled—
 And for a *sentiment* a nation bled.

1783.

Hon. Thomas Dawes.

JAMES OTIS.

James Otis, the eldest son of Col. James and Mary (Allyne) Otis, was born in Barnstable, Mass., Feb. 5, 1724-5. The father was an eminent lawyer, and a man of influence and mental energy.

James graduated at Harvard University in 1743; read law, and was admitted to the Plymouth bar. He practised in Plymouth two years, and then removed to Boston where he soon rose to the first rank in his profession, acquiring a large and important practice and a reputation for learning, eloquence and integrity.

In 1760, he held the office of advocate-general of the colony of Massachusetts Bay; and when the first application was made to the superior court, then sitting in Salem, for writs of assistance, by the deputy-collector, Cockle, of Salem, under orders from his superiors in Boston, the crown officers called upon Mr. Otis to appear in behalf of the petition. These writs of assistance were to be granted to revenue officers, being warrants giving them a general power to enter houses and stores where it might be suspected that contraband goods were concealed, and in violation of the dearest principles of the Magna Charta. Otis refused to appear for the crown, and resigned his office.

The merchants of Salem and Boston heard of it, and they engaged him to make their defence. The trial occurred in Boston; and Otis was between four

and five hours in making his comprehensive and exhaustive argument. No cause in colonial jurisprudence had excited greater public interest, and the courthouse was crowded. Without fear or fee, he then and there declared the great postulate which became the basis of all subsequent resistance to kingly domination, that *Taxation without representation is tyranny*. He thrilled every heart with his powerful declamation and invective, and this maxim became the watchword of every patriot.

John Adams, who was present, in describing the scene, said that "Otis was a flame of fire; with a promptitude of classical allusions, a depth of research, a rapid summary of historical events and dates, a profusion of legal authorities, a prophetic glance of his eyes into futurity, and a rapid torrent of impetuous eloquence, he hurried away all before him. The seeds of patriots and heroes were then and there sown. Every man of an immensely crowded audience appeared to me to go away, as I did, ready to take up arms against writs of assistance. Then and there was the first scene of the first act of opposition to the arbitrary claims of Great Britain. Then and there the child Independence was born."

The people were so stirred by this initial stand in their behalf that they took more positive political position. Hitherto, Otis had attended only to his professional business, but he now instantly became the leader of the colonists and the terror and object of the vengeance of their enemies. By voice and pen he urged the rights of the people openly and fearlessly.

Sept. 5, 1769, at the British Coffee-house in Boston, by some English customs officers, Otis was injured on his head by a sharp bludgeon, and his brilliant intellect was so marred that no effort could longer be put forth for the country he loved so much. After that time, he was in public life but little, and went wholly out of practice in 1771. His mental derangement becoming more pronounced,

he became easily excited, sometimes to frenzy.

He lived quietly in and near Boston, but was allowed to take no part in the final struggle with the mother country in arms. In 1780, he went to live with Isaac Osgood in Andover, and remained there, in their quiet country life, till 1782. Apparently having recovered, he returned to Boston, driving in a gig with his nephew, Hon. H. G. Otis. He undertook some professional engagements; but the excitement of a dinner with patriots at Governor Hancock's brought on his former malady.

He returned to Andover, voluntarily, April 8, 1783. The next morning he was somewhat agitated; and taking a hatchet went to a little pine grove a few yards from the house, where he spent the forenoon trimming away the lower branches of the trees. When Mr. Osgood called him to dinner he said with great earnestness: "Osgood, if I die while I am in your house, I charge you to have me buried under these trees."

At Andover, Mr. Otis never went more than a few yards from the house. He was neither violent nor restless; and lived very temperately, his food being principally bread and milk. He read much, lay in bed a great deal, and grew corpulent. He was always kind and good humored to the family, whom he delighted by his wit, his stories and knowledge.

Just six weeks from the day of his return, May 23, a thunder shower suddenly arose; and while Otis was standing by the side of an open inside door in the house, with his cane in his hand, and engaged in telling a story, a bolt of lightning killed him instantly, leaving no mark. As he fell, Mr. Osgood caught him in his arms. No one else was injured, though the house was considerably damaged and ignited. Mr. Otis had several times expressed a wish that he might die in this manner.

The remains were taken to Boston, where the funeral was attended by great numbers of people. His age was fifty-eight.

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS OF THE REVOLUTION.

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NATHANIEL AVERELL of Topsfield; priv., Capt. Stephen Perkins' co., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 2 ½ dys.

PAUL AVERIL of Andover; priv., Capt. Nathaniel Lovejoy's co., commanded by Lt. John Adams, Col. Samuel Johnson's reg., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 3 ½ dys.

BENJAMIN AVERILL of Ipswich; pay roll for 6 mos.; men raised by Ipswich for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 22, 1780; dis. Dec. 8, 1780; service, 5 mos., 28 dys.

DAVID AVERILL of Cape Ann; Capt. John Row's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 28, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 29, 1775; service, 2 mos., 8 dys.; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775].

DANIEL AVERILL of Topsfield; priv., Capt. James Mallon's co., Essex co. reg.; enl. Oct. 8, 1779; dis. Nov. 10, 1779; service, 1 mo., 5 dys., at Castle Island, under Maj.-gen. Hancock.

BENJAMIN AVERY of Ipswich; descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for 6 mos., agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780; age, 32 yrs.; stature, 5 ft., 7 in.; complexion, light; arrived at Springfield July 6, 1780; marched to camp July 6, 1780, under command of Lt. Taylor of 2d Mass. line; *also*, list of men raised for 6 mos. service and returned by Brig.-gen. Paterson as having passed muster, in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780.

JOHN AVERY of Gloucester (also given Charlestown); priv., Capt. Joseph Roby's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 29, 1775; service, 2 mos., 8 dys.; *also*, corp.; co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; age, 30 yrs.; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Dec. 11, 1775; *also*, priv., Capt. Amos

Cogswell's co., Col. James Wesson's reg.; muster return dated Jan. 25, 1778; enl. for Gloucester; mustered by Col. Barber; *also*, Capt. Cogswell's (2d) co., Col. Wesson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 8, 1777, to May 20, 1778; reported, died May 20, 1778.

JOSHUA AVERY of Gloucester; priv., Capt. Barnabas Dodge's (6th) co., Col. Gerrish's (later Baldwin's) 38th reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 2, 1775; service, 13 weeks; *also*, co. return dated Chelsea, Oct. 2, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Chelsea, Dec. 27, 1775; *also*, list of recruits for the new establishment, dated Cambridge, Dec. 30, 1775; *also*, return of men enl. for 1 yr. from last of Dec., 1775; age, 17 yrs.; *also*, pay abstracts for January-April, 1776; *also*, pay abstracts for May and June, 1776, dated New York; *also*, Capt. Dodge's co., commanded by Lt. Cheever; pay abstract for mileage, etc., in 1776; *also*, list of men in Col. Loammi Baldwin's (26th) reg. who agreed to serve 6 weeks from Dec. 31, 1776, dated Trenton; *also*, Capt. Mark Pool's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's reg.; service, 2 mos., on an alarm at Rhode Island; stationed at Bristol; roll dated June 28, 1777.

SAMUEL AVERY of Cape Ann; corp., Capt. Mark Pool's co., Col. Titcomb's reg.; service, 2 mos., on an alarm at Rhode Island; stationed at Bristol, R. I.; roll dated June 28, 1777.

WILLIAM AVRELL of Gloucester; priv., Capt. Nathaniel Warner's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 3, 1775; service, 3 mos., 6 dys.

JAMES AYER of Haverhill; serg., Capt. Daniel Hill's co., commanded by Lt. Samuel Clements, Col. Johnson's reg. which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775 to Cambridge; service, 6 dys.; *also*, Capt. Nathaniel Marsh's co., Maj. Gage's reg.; enl. Oct. 2, 1777; dis. Nov. 6, 1777; service, 1 mo., 7 dys.; co. raised to reinforce Northern army.

JONATHAN AYER of Haverhill; priv., Capt. Joseph Eaton's co., Col. Johnson's

reg., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 6½ dys.; *also*, capt., 14th co., 4th Essex co. reg.; list of officers of Mass. militia; commissioned July 3, 1780; *also*, Col. Nathaniel Wade's reg.; enl. June 29, 1780; dis. Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos., 24 dys.; co. raised to reinforce Continental Army.

NATHAN AYER of Haverhill; priv., Capt. James Sawyer's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, corp.; co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Cambridge, Dec. 26, 1775.

RICHARD AYER of Haverhill; capt. of a co., Col. Johnson's reg., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7½ dys.

RICHARD AYER of Bradford; priv., Capt. Nathaniel Gage's co., Col. James Frye's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 dys.; *also*, return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775.

SAMUEL AYER, JR., of Haverhill; priv., Capt. Ebenezer Colby's co., Col. Johnson's reg., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 2 dys.; *also*, Capt. Samuel Merrill's co., Maj. Gage's reg.; enl. Sept. 30, 1777; dis. Nov. 6, 1777; service, 1 mo., 9 dys.; co. raised to reinforce Northern army.

SIMON AYER of Haverhill; priv., Capt. Richard Ayer's (2d) co., Col. Johnson's reg., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3½ dys.

JACOB AYERS of Manchester; priv., Capt. Richard Dodge's co., Col. Loammi Baldwin's (26th) reg.; pay abstracts for Jan.-May, 1776.

LOT AYERS of Haverhill; priv., Capt. John Blanchard's co., Col. James Wesson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 17, 1777, to Oct. 3, 1777; reported, died Oct. 3, 1777.

NATHAN AYERS of Haverhill; corp., Capt. James Sawyer's co., Col. James Frye's reg., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775 [service not given]; *also*, Capt. Timothy Eaton's co., Col. Edward

Wigglesworth's reg.; pay abstracts for travel allowance from Ticonderoga home, in 1776.

PETER AYERS of Manchester; priv., Capt. Richard Dodge's co., Col. Baldwin's (38th) reg.; return of men in service in Aug., 1775, dated Chelsea; *also*, Capt. Dodge's co., Col. Loammi Baldwin's (late Gerrish's) reg.; co. return dated Chelsea, Oct. 2, 1775; enl. June 12, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Chelsea, Dec. 27, 1775; *also*, pay abstract for Dec., 1775; enl. Dec. 14, 1775; *also*, list of recruits for the new establishment dated Cambridge, Dec. 30, 1775; *also*, pay abstracts for Jan., April and May, 1776.

RICHARD AYERS of Bradford; priv., Capt. Nathaniel Gage's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; co. return dated Cambridge, Sept. 6, 1775.

SAMUEL AYERS of Manchester; Capt. Richard Dodge's (3d) co., Col. Loammi Baldwin's (38th) reg.; certificate dated Chelsea, July 28, 1776, signed by David Jones, surgeon, certifying said Ayers to be unfit for duty; *also*, corp.; list of men absent from muster dated Chelsea, Sept., 1775; reported, sick 2 dys.; *also*, Capt. Dodge's co., Col. Baldwin's (late Gerrish's) reg.; co. return dated Chelsea, Oct. 2, 1775; enl. May 1, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Chelsea, Dec. 27, 1775.

THOMAS AYERS of Gloucester; priv., Capt. Nathaniel Warner's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 3, 1775; service, 3 mos., 6 dys.; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; age, 26 yrs.; dis. Oct. 8, 1775; *also*, Capt. William Pearson's (3d) co.; enl. Jan. 10, 1776; rolls made up to May 31, 1776; service, 4 mos., 21 dys., at Gloucester; *also*, pay roll for 1 mo., 22 dys., service between June 1 and Aug. 31, 1776, at Gloucester.

WILLIAM AYERS of Haverhill; descriptive list of men enl. from Essex co. in 1779; age, 25 yrs.; stature, 5 ft., 4 in.; complexion, light; delivered to Lt. Grace; *also*, priv., Capt. Adams Bailey's co., Col. John Bailey's (later Lt.-col. Sprout's) 2d reg.; muster roll for Jan., 1780—Dec.,

1781; enl., Sept. 4, 1779; dis. June 4, 1780; enl., 9 mos.

JACOB AYRES of Manchester; Capt. Kimball's co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 1, 1775; *also*, priv., muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 1, 1775; service, 2 mos., 5 dys.; *also*, co. return dated Winter Hill, Oct. 6, 1775.

SAMUEL AYRES of Manchester; priv., Capt. Andrew Marsters' co., which marched on alarm of April 19, 1775, to Medford; service, 3 dys.; *also*, descriptive list of enl. men dated West Point, Jan. 10, 1781; Capt. Goodale's co., 5th reg.; age, 44 yrs., 4 mos.; stature, 5 ft., 8 in.; complexion, dark; hair, dark; eyes, dark; enl. as corp. Dec. 11, 1779, by Lt.-col. Newhall; joined Capt. White's co., Col. Rufus Putnam's (5th) reg.; enl., during war; *also*, corp., Capt. Haffield White's co., Col. Putnam's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; reported as serving 7 mos. as priv., 5 mos. as corp.; *also*, muster roll for Jan., 1781, dated West Point.

JOSEPH AYRS of Haverhill; priv., Capt. Samuel Johnson's co., Col. Titcomb's reg.; roll made up from time of arrival at Providence, R. I., April 27, 1777; dis. June 27, 1777; service, 2 mos., 10 dys., on an alarm at Rhode Island; *also*, muster roll dated Bristol, June 27, 1777.

JOHN AYSTON of Beverly; priv., Capt. Robert Dodge's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's reg.; enl. April 25, 1777; service, 2 mos., 8 dys., at Rhode Island. Roll dated Warren.

JAMES BAB of Deer Island; return of men enl. into Continental Army from 2d Essex co. reg., dated Essex, Feb. 16, 1778; enl. for Newburyport; joined Capt. D. Pillsbury's co., Col. Wigglesworth's reg.; enl., 3 yrs.

JAMES BABB of Newburyport; priv., Capt. Paul Ellis' co., Col. Timothy Bigelow's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from March 21, 1777, to Dec. —, 1777; reported, deserted Dec. —, 1777.

To be continued.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.*

ANCIENT BURYING GROUND.

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IN Memory of
CAP^T. EDMUND GILES,
who departed this life
March 28th
1 7 8 6;
Aged 61 years.

*These gates of death no more shall
e'er be burst
Till heaven's command shall wake
the sleeping dust;
And then creation vast, immense shall rise*

*And men with angels throug th' etherial
skies.*

—
IN Memory of
MR^S ESTHER GILES,
wife of
CAP^T EDMUND GILES,
who departed this life
Feb^{ry} 20th 1786:
Aged 64 years.

*The toils of life & pangs of death
are o'er,
And care, & pain, & sickness are
no more.*

*Abbott street was cut through the old cemetery in 1868. My father—a descendant—superintended the removal of the remains of Rev. John Hale and several of his family, six in all, I think, to the private lot, walled in, of (I believe) Col. Robert Hale, John's grandson. I have some of the cloth disinterred, in October, 1868, with the Rev. John's remains and saved by my father.

The desecration of 1868 was not the first the old yard suffered. The following quotation from an old letter shows when the vestry of the First Parish church was placed there: "Beverly, January 13, 1834, * * a multitude of men are busy in our [Federal] street drawing away the Vestry to-day. It is to be placed in the old burying ground." And there it still stands, covering the grave of my great-grandfather, as I was always told. I presume others are beneath it also. My grandfather had a stone erected in his lot in the Hale street yard to commemorate the memory of his parents, Henry and Priscilla Larcom, bearing the following inscription:—

SACRED
To the memory of
MR. HENRY LARCOM
who died July, 1780
aged 29 years.

—William F. Abbot, Worcester.

Here lyes y^e Body of
MR^S ELIZABETH GILMAN,
(Wife firft of ROBERT
HALE *Efq^r* next of Coll
JOHN GILMAN *Efq^r* of *Exeter*
deceased) Who died Jan^{ry} 24th
Anno Domⁱ 1762: *Ætati* 78

—
Here lies the Body of
MR ISAAC GRAY
who departed this
Life March y^e 23^d
1 7 6 0
In the 75th Year
of his Age.

—
Here lyeth y^e Body of
Rebekah Wife to Ifaac
Gray Who died Sept^r
Y^e 28th 1736 in Y^e
50th Year of her
Age

—
Here lyes y^e Body of
ELIZABETH HALE (Wife
of ROBERT HALE, *Efq^r*
& *Dau^{tr}* of *Colonel* JOHN
GILMAN, *Efq^r* of *Exeter*)
Who died Augu^{lt} 19th, A.D.
1 7 3 6. *Ætatis*. 35.

—
HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF y^e
REVEREND MR JOHN HALE
A PIOUS & FAITHFULL MINISTER
OF Y^e GOSPEL & PASTOR OF Y^e
FIRST GATHER'D CHURCH OF
CHRIST IN THIS TOWNE OF
BEVERLY WHO REST'D FROM
HIS LABOURS ON Y^e 15th DAY
OF MAY ANNO DOMINI 1700
IN Y^e 64th YEAR OF HIS AGE

—
JOHN HALE HIS WIFE REBECCA
AGED 45 YEARS DIED APRIL
30 1683
AND HIS WIFE SARAH AGED
41 YEARS DIED MAY 20
1 6 9 7,
AND HIS DAUGHTER REBECCA
HALE AGED 15 YEARS DIED
MAY 7 1 6 8 1

HERE LIETH Y^e
 BodY of Rebecca,
 HALE y^e DAVGH-
 TER of R o b e r t
 HaLe & of ELIZ^{ab}^eth
 HIS Wife DIED APrel
 Y^e 27 IN Y^e 23
 Months of har AGE
 1 7 3 2

Here lyes y^e Body of
 Rebecca Hale, Dau^{tr} of
 Robert Hale, *Efq^r* &
 Elizabeth his Wife,
 Who died Aug^t 23^d AD.
 1736. *Ætatis* 4.

To be continued.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
 Answers are solicited.

189. Wanted, names of parents, grand-
 parents, etc., of Joseph Mirick who mar-
 ried Judith Little, Newbury, 1770.

Madison, Wis.

G. B. M.

190. Who were the parents of Walden
 (Waldron) Webster of Brentwood, N. H.,
 who married Anna Dudley, daughter of
 Davison Dudley of Exeter? K. L. M.

Exeter, N. H.

191. Joseph Upton, North Reading,
 married "Mrs. Elizabeth Lovejoy of An-
 dover" July 19, 1774. Who were her
 parents? S. A. S.

North Pembroke, Mass.

192. Wanted, the parentage of Martha
 Young, who married, in Salem, June 18,
 1783, Jonathan Davis Bosson of Roxbury.
 He was in the army of the Revolution
 with his three brothers. She was sister to
 Joseph Young who was the first organist,
 after the Revolution, at St. Peter's church,
 Salem.

J. H. B.

Reading, Mass.

193. Wanted, the parentage of Mary
 Cook who married Jasper Needham, in
 Salem (?), Nov. 20, 1731? J. H. B.

194. Jeremiah, son of Jeremiah and
 Mary (Trask) Meacham of Salem, born

Dec. 31, 1673, married Deborah ——.
 Who were her parents? G. W. P.

Albany, N. Y.

195. Who was the ancestor of the
 Blaney family in this country? Where
 can records of the family be found.

Auburndale, Mass.

M. A. P.

196. For whom was Boone Island
 named? D.

Portland, Me.

ANSWERS.

152. Bixby Abbot was buried in Green-
 field, N. H.—*Charlotte H. Abbott, An-
 dover.*

179. Ephraim Wildes married Heph-
 zibah Peabody Jan. 31, 1730-1. She was
 daughter of Isaac and Sarah (Estes?)
 Peabody, and was born May 25, 1709.—
George F. Dow, Topsfield.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

JAMES LURVEY, OF GLOUCESTER, MASSA-
 CHUSETTS. A Patriot of the Revolution.
 By *Dr. Samuel A. Green*. This mono-
 graph is a brief account of the service of
 James Lurvey in the Revolutionary war.

AVERY NOTES AND QUERIES. This is a
 sixteen-page quarterly published in the
 interest of the Groton Avery family by
 Elroy M. Avery, 657 Woodland Hills
 Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, at fifty cents per
 year.

EXTRACTS FROM THE NOTE BOOK OF
 THE REV. JOHN FISKE, 1637-1675. With
 an Introduction by Samuel A. Green.
 Cambridge, 1898. This is a pamphlet of
 twenty-two pages; and the notes relate
 chiefly to Chelmsford.

JOHN ROGERS OF MARSHFIELD AND SOME
 OF HIS DESCENDANTS. By *Josiah H.
 Drummond*. Portland, Me., 1898. This
 valuable book is well arranged, quite full,
 and finely printed on heavy paper. In-
 dices of names add to its value. Paper;
 194 pages; 8vo. Sold by H. W. Bry-
 ant, Portland, Me., at \$1.00.

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"MOLL PITCHER."

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

"MOLL PITCHER," the famous fortune-teller of Lynn, has no birth record. So the place of her first appearance in life cannot be thus determined. The tenement house, known as the "Old Brig," situated at the junction of Pond and Orne streets in Marblehead, is the reputed birthplace. The records, however, fail to confirm this.

It is said that she was born in 1738; and this date was probably obtained by subtracting her alleged age from the year of her death.

Her father, Aholiab Diamond, was living in Lynn in 1735, and, as far as known, ever afterward lived there, being there in 1762. He married Lydia, daughter of Henry and Abigail (Collins) Silsbee of Lynn, being published Sept. 21, 1735. Where he first lived in Lynn is not known. Sept. 12, 1738, his wife's father, who was a husbandman, conveyed to Aholiab one hundred and forty square rods of land on the road to Marblehead, being the lot laid out to Ephraim Silsbee on the town commons, and a part of the tract known as the Wood-end rocks.*

Upon this lot of land, which measured fourteen rods on the road and ten rods in depth, Aholiab erected a dwelling house and barn, and removed thither. Whether Mary was born before or after the erection of the house cannot be determined. This road was lonely, being rough and little traveled. The house stood at the foot of High Rock in the southern part of what was afterwards known as the Rock's pasture, the whole territory being lonely

and wild, with rocks outcropping and stunted red cedars growing here and there. The house occupied a position on a southern slope, fronting towards the sea. In the old days a small, uncared-for garden was in front, and broken rocks, thistles and nettles occupied the rear.



The house still stands on the northwesterly side of Essex street, nearly opposite Pearl street. It has been somewhat modernized, and the neighborhood has been built up. The accompanying engraving shows the house as it formerly appeared.

Of Mary Diamond's education nothing is known; but the good quality of her

Mary Pitcher

signature (shown herewith), as written in 1770, when she was about thirty-two, indicates that she was not wholly deficient. It must be remembered that in her child-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 74, leaf 191.

hood days there were no public schools for girls; and, therefore, what they learned had to be acquired elsewhere and in other ways.

Mr. Diamond was a cordwainer, and probably had an apprentice named Robert Pitcher, to whom Mary was married Oct. 2, 1760. They continued to live at her father's, and had born to them one son, John, and three daughters, Rebecca, Ruth and Lydia. Their descendants are today among the respectable citizens of Lynn.

Her brothers, Samson Silsbee Diamond and Richard Diamond, were probably never married, and lived at home, working with their father.

Sept. 23, 1762, Mr. Diamond conveyed the house, barn and lot to his son Samson.*

Sept. 6, 1766, Samson conveyed the premises to his brother Richard.†

Richard Diamond died two years later, and the other brother and parents dying about this time, Mrs. Pitcher being the sole heir to the property.

When Mrs. Pitcher began her professional career is not known. Probably the practice grew from isolated instances of successful averments in reference to future events, dating back to her early womanhood. It is said that soon after her marriage she was known as a fortune-teller, having then a clientage which continued to increase in importance during the fifty years that she afterwards lived.

Her fame reached every fireside in New England, and her successful predictions, alike astounding to the vulgar and the educated, were the themes of many midnight vigils and forecastle story tellers.

Not only was she consulted by the poor and ignorant, but by the rich and intelligent, by the accomplished and vulgar, the timid and the brave, the simple rustic from New Hampshire and the nobleman of Europe. The predictions concerned love affairs, legacies, discovery of crime, successful lottery tickets, and

the more common contingencies of life. These were the subjects of her staple productions; but her most important visitors came from those interested in various ways in the commerce of the region. The sailor before the mast, and cabin-boy, as well as the ship owner, resorted to her humble abode under High Rock, to ascertain the results of a voyage; vessels sometimes, it is asserted, failing to sail at the time set, as the effect of her predictions, either from the refusal of the crew to start, or the owner to risk his vessel upon a voyage whose end Moll predicted would be disastrous.

Treasure-seekers, who were numerous in her time, frequently sought her assistance in locating stores of hidden treasure along our coast. It is said that she had neither sympathy nor patience with them, and would reply to them sharply, "Fools, if I knew where money was buried, do you think I would part with the secret?"

It may be that many of Lord Timothy Dexter's peculiar commercial speculations were due to her shrewdness and foresight, as it is said he was wont to obtain her advice, in which he placed implicit confidence.

The table over which Mrs. Pitcher conducted her interviews with clients is in the possession of the Essex Institute, at Salem. It is a small round table, which, when the lids are raised, measures about thirty inches in diameter. A picture of it is shown herewith.



In discovering the secrets of the future, Mrs. Pitcher used tea. When steeped she turned it into a cup, unstrained. The peculiarities of the position assumed by the particles of tea in the bottom of the cup decided the fate of the inquirer.

The only house near Mrs. Pitcher's was that of Dr. Henry Burchstead, which stood directly opposite on the other side of the road. In 1755, the doctor had two great bones of a whale erected for

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 112, leaf 70.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 113, leaf 270.

gate posts before his house. These posts remained there all through the period of Mrs. Pitcher's professional career. Most of her clients went to her secretly, and many were the sly inquiries of those strangers who were visiting her for the first time for the place where the big whale bones were to be seen, thus learning the residence of Mrs. Pitcher without inquiring for it.

She was not the withered, decrepit and toothless drone of Spencer, or Otway's

"... wrinkled hag, with age grown double,
Picking dry sticks and mumbling to herself;"

but a woman in all respects like other women of her time and place, a devoted wife and mother and a kind neighbor. So much was she like other people that nothing but the unequivocal testimony of a multitude of witnesses could have established the reputation she acquired as one able to foretell events, which she did sometimes ten or twenty years before they occurred.

Without the extraordinary power which she possessed, concerning which she made no pretence of anything superhuman, she was a woman who must have had commanding influence in every relation of life.

She was well formed, of medium height and size, with a large head. Her forehead was broad and full; and in her earlier years the masses of her dark brown hair shaded her pale thin face, which, though not beautiful, was decidedly interesting. Her countenance was intellectual, with a thoughtful, pensive look, almost approaching to melancholy, as though, as a writer has said, her mind was overburdened with being the depository of so many confidences, perhaps crimes. Her eyes were calm but keenly penetrating, as though she was able to read the secrets in the heart of a client. She was shrewd, and possessed of excellent judgment and acute discernment. Her manners were agreeable, and her native wit often displayed itself. She was benevolent, being thoughtful of the welfare of others, and was known to walk two miles to a mill,

before sunrise, for meal to carry to a poor widow, who would otherwise have had no breakfast either for herself or children.



An old-fashioned bonnet that Mrs. Pitcher was wont to wear is shown herewith.

She died April 9, 1813, at the age of seventy-five; and her remains were buried in the old burying-ground near the western end of the common in Lynn. Her grave remained unmarked until 1887, when Isaac O. Guild and John T. Moulton, to distinguish the spot, erected a neat gravestone bearing the following inscription:

MARY PITCHER

1738-1813

Mr. Pitcher survived her, and died May 7, 1822.

"Even she, our own weird heroine,
Sole Pythoness of ancient Lynn,
Sleeps calmly where the living laid her;
And the wide realm of sorcery,
Left, by its latest mistress, free,
Hath found no gray and skilled invader."

WILL OF MATTHEW WHIPPLE.

The will of Matthew Whipple of Ipswich was proved in the Ipswich court 28: 7: 1647. The following copy is taken from the record contained in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 28, the original being missing.

Month 3: day 7: 1645.

In the name of god amen. I Mathew whipple of Ipswich in New England being by reason of p^rsent sickneffe much increafing vpon me feriously admonished of my mortality yet through the mercy of god inioying p^rfect memory & good vnderstanding after humble acknowledgm^t of the great pacience & rich mercy of god to me a most vnworthy finer all my life longe and the Comending of my spirit to his grace in J^esus Chrift my body after my deceafe to Comly buriall in the earth out of which it was taken in hope of refurrecon vnto eternall life and my deare

children to the everlaſting bleſing of their heavenly father I doe hereby diſpoſe of that eſtate which the lord hath graciouſly given vnto me aſfolloweth vnto my eldeſt ſonne John Thre ſcore pounds to my ſonne Mathew forty pounds To my ſonne Joſeph forty pounds vnto my daughter Mary Twenty pounds vnto my daughter Anna Twenty pounds vnto my daughter Elizabeth Twenty pounds vnto our rev Elders m^r. Nathaniel Rogers & m^r. John Norton to either of them forty ſhillings To the poore of Ipſw^{ch} forty ſhillings. In caſe my eſtate be found to exceed theſe ſumes the one halfe thereof I give to my eldeſt ſonne John the other halfe to my two yonger ſonnes. In caſe my eſtate fall ſhort of the aforeſaid ſumes the *decuct* ſhalbe out of the porcons of all my children equally my will is that none of my children ſhalbe diſpoſed of in marriage or ſervice but by the approbacion & conſent of the p^rſent Elders & my deare brother John whipple I leave the diſpoſing of my three ſonnes to the care of my executors whom I name & deſire to be m^r. Nathan : Rogers m^r. Norton m^r. Robert Payne & my brother John Whipple In witnes hereof I have ſet to my hande the day & yeare above written.

Witneſſes hereof

John Norton Mathew whipple
John whipple.

Month the 9th 13th day 1646

I having by the providence of god changed my eſtate by marriage ſince the making of the writing above I doe give vnto my wife Roſe the ſume of ten pounds to be paid her p^rſently after my deceaſe leaving vnto her all the goods or eſtate that ſhe had before marriage And this being done I will that the writing above ſhould ſtand in full force & vertue as my laſt will & Teſtament; further declaring my meaning to be that the porcons of my ſonnes be paid at the age of one & Twenty yeares and my daughters at the age of Twenty: and the mann of the diſpoſing my eſtate for the beſt accompliſhment of the intent of my will I comitt vnto my above-named executo^{rs}

or any other matter that may be forgotten to be by them ordered and becauſe they may be removed or diminifhed by death or any other departure I hereby give them power that the remayning numb ſhall chooſe a ſupply in that caſe to fill vp the numb except he that is removed ſhall appoynt an other in his roome. And this whole writing to wit that part that was write the 7th day of the 3 month 1645 and this addicon I make & declare to be my laſt will & Teſtament being of good vnderſtanding & memory ſetting herevnto my hand

Delived in the p^rſence of vs The mke of
the day & yeare above written Mathew
Theophilus wilſon : whipple.
Thomas Knowlton.

ABORN NOTES.

Samuel Aborn (57) married Polly Flint April 17, 1788.

Rebecca Aborn (58) married James Gould Jan. 26, 1786.

Miss Mary Aborn (45) married Amos Butler May 20, 1787.

Margaret Aborn died, of old age, June 11, 1784, aged eighty-eight.

Moses Aborn (14) died, of old age, Oct. 1, 1756, aged eighty-four.

Thomas Aborn (18) died, 1760.

John, ſon of John Aborn (39) died, of convulſion fits, June 26, 1759, aged three weeks.

Benjamin Aborn married Mary Shelden May 8, 1760.

Mary, wife of Ebenezer Aborn, jr. (37), died Dec. 9, 1773, aged forty-four. He died March 8, 1792, aged ſixty-seven.

Margaret, daughter of Benjamin Aborn, died, of a violent fever, April 14, 1775, aged thirteen.

John, ſon of Benjamin Aborn, ſcalt to death Feb. 9, 1776, aged five.

Children of Ebenezer Aborn (46): James, baptized July 18, 1779; and Betty, baptized Sept. 1, 1782.

Joſeph, ſon of Joſeph Aborn (53), baptized June 8, 1783.

—*Lynnſfield church records.*

THE ANCESTOR'S DREAM.

I saw restored my desolated home,
 And to its cradle each new tenant come. * *
 Time flies—my wife lies buried by my side;
 Each son has to the altar led his bride;
 They, too, have passed through scenes of joy
 and grief,
 And from life's cares have found in death relief.
 Their children's children,—a wide-spreading
 stream
 Of human life, have come and gone,—a gleam
 Flitting in vision o'er my dazzled sight,
 Now less distinct, now full of life and light.
 1852. —*Dr. Andrew Nichols.*

DESCENDANTS OF JOSEPH ALLEN OF SALEM.

JOSEPH ALLEN¹, seaman, resided in Salem. He married Bethiah ———; and died before June 29, 1682, when administration was granted on his estate. His wife survived him, and married, secondly, Richard Peters of Salem in 1684.

Children, baptized in Salem:—

- 2—I. JOHN², bapt. Jan. 6, 1677-8. *See below* (2).
 3—II. JOSEPH², bapt. Jan. 6, 1677-8. *See below* (3).

2

JOHN ALLEN², baptized in Salem Jan. 6, 1677-8. He lived in Beverly, 1700; in Salem, 1703-4; and in Marblehead, 1731 and 1736. He was a blacksmith and gunsmith. He married, first, Mary Broadway May 30, 1698. She died Jan. —, 1726-7; and he married, second, Sarah Merritt of Marblehead Aug. 20 (31?), 1727. His will was made Oct. 20, 1736, and proved Nov. 29, 1736. His wife Sarah survived him; and probably married, secondly, Thorndike Proctor of Salem April 26, 1739.

Children:—

- 4—I. JOHN³, b. Aug. 23, 1699 (1700?), in Salem; bapt. in Salem Sept. 22, 1700. *See below* (4).
 5—II. JOSEPH³, b. May 2, 1703, in Salem; bapt. in Salem Village June 13, 1703.
 6—III. MARY³, b. Jan. 17, 1704-5, in Salem; bapt. in Salem Village April 8, 1705; m. Richard Shapley of Marblehead Nov. 21, 1723.
 7—IV. ELIZABETH³, b. April 26, 1708, in Salem; bapt. in Salem Village July 18, 1708; m. Cornelius Phillips of Marblehead Jan. (Feb.?) 11, 1725-6.

- 8—V. HANNAH³ bapt. July 29, 1716, in Marblehead; m. Mark Pitman, jr., of Marblehead Oct. 1, 1735.

3

JOSEPH ALLEN², baptized in Salem Jan. 6, 1677-8. He lived in Salem; and was a joiner. He married Abigail Hill of Salem. His will is dated Jan. 7, 1739, and was proved May 13, 1740. In it he mentions a granddaughter Margaret Allen. The widow was living in Salem in 1749.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 9—I. ABIGAIL³, b. June 1, 1696; d. young.
 10—II. JOSEPH³, b. Feb. 11, 1697-8; m. Margaret Swayn of Reading July 7, 1720.
 11—III. BENJAMIN³, b. April 20, 1699. *See below* (11).
 12—IV. JOHN³, b. April 25, 1701; d. same day.
 13—V. JOHN³, bapt. Sept. 19, 1703.
 14—VI. ABIGAIL³, b. June 3, 1705; m. Jonathan Archer, jr., of Salem Jan. 30, 1728. They were both living in 1749.
 15—VII. ZEBULON³, bapt. Sept. 15, 1706. *See below* (15).
 16—VIII. ROBERT³. *See below* (16).
 17—IX. BETHIAH³, living in 1739.
 18—X. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Oct. 3, 1714; d. in Salem, unmarried, from a fall, Oct. 31, 1798, aged eighty-four.

4

JOHN ALLEN³, born in Salem Aug. 23, 1699 (1700?), lived in Marblehead. He married Rebecca Doane of Eastham Oct. 3, 1723, and died before Feb. 17, 1736-7. She survived him, and married, secondly, Edward Bangs, jr., of Harwich, gentleman, before 1737.

Child, born in Marblehead:—

- 19—I. EUNICE⁴, bapt. Aug. 8, 1725; living, a minor, 1737.

II

BENJAMIN ALLEN³, born in Salem April 20, 1699. He lived in Salem; and was a joiner. He married Abigail Lowther Dec. 10, 1724. She was living in 1739; and he in 1755.

Children, baptized in Salem:—

- 20—I. ABIGAIL⁴, bapt. Dec. 18, 1726; conducted a school in Salem; and d. there, unmarried, June —, 1760.
 21—II. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. April 2, 1727.
 22—III. JOSEPH⁴, bapt. Feb. 16, 1728-9.
 23—IV. MARTHA (*Mary?*)⁴, bapt. May 7, 1732.

15

ZEBULON ALLEN³, baptized in Salem Sept. 15, 1706. He married widow Sarah Ellinwood of Beverly (published May 30, 1730).

Child, born in Beverly:—

24—I. JOANNA⁴, b. Jan. 12, 1731-2.

16

ROBERT ALLEN³, born in Salem, was a housewright, and lived in his native town. He married Rebecca Phillips of Salem Dec. 3, 1741; and both were living in 1770. He was deceased in 1784.

Children, born in Salem:—

25—I. REBECCA⁴, bapt. June 12, 1743; m., first, John Hill of Salem Jan. 21, 1764; and, second, Nathan Peirce of Salem before 1786. She d. July 18, 1815.

26—II. ELIZABETH⁴, d. in Salem, unmarried, in 1785. Her will, made July 25, 1785, was proved Dec. 9, 1785.

27—III. MEHITABLE⁴, bapt. June 29, 1750; m. James Masury of Salem, cooper, Aug. 15, 1771.

28—IV. JOHN⁴, bapt. Jan. 13, 1754.

29—V. JOSEPH⁴, b. about 1755; bapt. Sept. 9, 1759; cabinet-maker; lived in Salem; and d., probably unmarried, Sept. 21, 1786.

30—VI. JONATHAN⁴, bapt. July 24, 1763.

WILL OF LUKE HEARD.

The nuncupative will of Luke Heard was proved in the Ipswich court 28: 7: 1647. The following is a copy of the same as recorded in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 33.

The laft will of Luke Herd latly deceased about the

Imprimis I give vnto my eldest sonne John Herd ten pounds to be paid him at the age of 21 yeares Item I doe give vnto my sonne Edmund five pounds to be paid him at the age of 21 yeares Item I give my bookes vnto my two sonnes to be equally parted betweene them also this is my will that my two sonnes be brought vp to writing & to reading & then when they shalbe fitt to be putt forth to such trades as they shal choofe. Alfoe I make my loving wife Sarah Herd my sole executrix Thus much as abovefaid was exprefd

by the above named Luke Herd in the p^rfence of vs

John Wyatt his mke
Simon Tompson.

Sworne by John wyatt & Simon Tompson this to be the laft will of Luke Herd to the best of their knowledg proved in Court 28th 7th month 1647.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT BURYING GROUND.

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HERE LYES BURE^D
y^e BODY OF ROBER^t
HALE ESQ^R PHYSICI^N
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE JANUARY
y^e 12th 171⁸/₉ IN
y^e 51st YE A R
O F H I S A G E

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF MR^s
HANNAH HARDIE
y^e WIFE OF M^R
THOMAS HARDIE
DIED IANUARY 7th
1738 AGED 32 YEARS

SUSAna the
DUGhter OF mr
ThOmas And
HAnNAh HARDY
WhO DIED
SePtember Y^e 25th
1735 AGED
TWO months

IN Memory of M^{rs}
ABIGAIL HARTT,
wife of Cap^t JONATHAN^N
HARTT & daughter
of M^r. Nath^l Baker, who
departed this Life
Dec^r 6th 1768.
In the 51st year
of her age.

Here lies buried y^e Body of
M^{rs} ELIZABETH HASKELL
the wife of
Cap^t ROBERT HASKELL
who Died January y^e 8th
1765. Aged 77 Years.

Here Lyes the Body
of H a n n a h Hazeltime
Daughter of M^r William
& M^{rs} Dorothy Hazeltime
who died *October 30th*
Anno Domini 1770
Aged 4 Years & 9 Months.

IN Memory of
M^{RS} ABIGAIL HERRICK ;
Relict of
M^R JOSHUA HERRICK ;
who departed this life

April 26th 1784 :
Aged 75 years.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
CAP^t HENRY HERRICK
DIED AUG^t 10th 1755,
IN THE 67th YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

Here Lyeth y^e Body of
M^{rs} Joanna Herrick y^e
Wife of Cap^t Hen^{ry} Herrick
Who^{died} Oct^r y^e 30th 1738. in y^e 50th
year of her Age

Here Lyeth y^e body
of Cap^t. Jofeph
Herrick w h o
died May y^e 29th
1726 in y^e 62nd
Year of his Age

IN Memory of
JOSHUA HERRICK,
who departed this
Life Dec^r 7th
1782 ; In the
84th year of
his age.

Here Lyeth y^e Body
of Lydia Wife of Jofhu^a
Herrick w h o d i e d
Aug^{tt} 19th 1736 in her 27
year: The Memory of y^e Juft is Blefsed
Jofhua their fon died
July y^e 6th 1735 Aged 6 m^{os}.
Deborah their Daug^{tr} died
Sep^{tr}. 3^d 1736 Aged 7 weeks

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{RS} MARY HERRICK
WIFE TO CAP^t JOSEPH^a
HERRICK WHO DIED
AUG^t y^e Jst 1719 IN y^e
55th YEAR OF
HER AGE

| Jofhua Herrick | |
|---|--|
| Mary their Daughter died Aug ^{tt} ye 26 th In her 9 th year 1736 | Theophilus th Son died Aug ^{tt} the 30 th in y ^e 4 th year 1736 |

Here Lyeth Inter^d ye
Body of M^r s.
SARAH HERRICK y^e
Wife of Cap^t
HENRY HERRICK
Who Died y^e 9th of
MARCH 174 $\frac{9}{7}$ In y^e
49th year of her AGE

HERE LYES y^e BODY
OF JOHN HILL
DEACON OF y^e CHURCH
IN BEVERLY AGED
73 YEARS DEC^r.
FEBRUARY y^e 9th
170 $\frac{7}{8}$

IN Memory of
RICHARD HOMAN
fon of M^R
WILLIAM & M^{RS}
RELIEF HOMAN
who died Sep^r. 24th
1783 : Aged 5 years
3 months & 5 days.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF MR^s
ELISABETH THE
WIFE OF M^r
RICHARD HOOD
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE MAY
y^e 24th 1748
AGED 27th YEAR^s.

Here lyes y^e Body of
BENJAMIN IVES Son of
BENJAMIN IVES Esq^r. *deceas'd*
(and *Grandson* of ROBERT
HALE, Esq^r) Who departed
this Life *Febr'y* y^e 27th 1763
Aged 13 Years.

IN Memory of
M^{rs} HANNAH JOHNSON,
wife of
Cap^t. ISRAEL JOHNSON,
who departed this Life
Sept. 20th 1789: In the
36th year of her age.

IN Memory of
M^r. Benjamin Lovett
who Died June 6th
1782;
In the 80th Year
of his age.

IN Memory of
Charlotte Lovett,
Daugh^r of Cap^t. John
& M^{rs}. Elifabeth Lovett
who died Dec^r 25th
1787: Aged
1 year & 7 months.

IN Memory of
Charlotte Lovett,
daugh^r of Cap^t. John
& Mrs. Hannah Lovett
born Oct^r 26th 1795,
died Oct^r 22^d 1796.

IN Memory of M^r
EBENEZER LOVETT,
who departed this
Life July 23^d
1778 In the
76th year of
his Age.

IN Memory of
M^{rs} ELLENOR L OVETT,
Relict of M^r. BENJ^a. LOVETT,
who died June 19th 1788:
In the 79th year of her
age.

*In faith she died; in dust she lies;
But faith foresees that dust shall rise,
When Jesus calls while hope assumes
And boasts her joy among the Tombs.*

IN Memory of M^{rs}
HANNAH LOVETT, wife
of CAP^t BENJAMIN LOVETT,
who died June 3^d 1788:
In the 55th year of her
age.

*Beneath stone death's prisoner lies,
The stone shall move the prisoner rise,
When Jesus with almighty word
Calls his dead fain'ts to meet the LORD.*

IN Memory of
Cap^t. JAMES LOVETT
y^e 2^d who departed
this Life Dec^r 29th
1789: In the 41th
year of his age.

*Death thou hast conquer'd me,
I by thy dart am slain:
But Christ has conquer'd thee,
And I shall rise again.*

IN Memory of
Cap^t. JAMES LOVETT,
y^e 1st who departed
this Life April 22^d.
1790 In the 70th
year of his age.

IN Memory of
M^{RS} JOANNA LOVETT
wife of M^R
EBENEZER LOVETT,
who departed this
Life March 27
1775 In the 73^d
year of her age.

—
IN
Memory of
Cap^t John Lovett 3^d
who departed this
Life Feb^r 25th 1792
In the 49th year
of his age.

—
IN Memory of CAP^T
JOSIAH LOVETT JUN^R
who departed this
Life Sep^t 27th
1773; In the
45th year of
his age.

—
IN Memory
of M^R JOSIAH LOVETT,
who departed this
Life June 22^d
1 7 7 4 :
In the 70th year
of his age.

—
IN Memory of
Mr. Josiah Lovett, son
of Cap^t John &
Mrs. Elisabeth Lovett,
who died Feb^y 1st 1796,
in the 20th year of
his age.

—
IN Memory of
M^{RS} REBECCA LOVETT,
Relict of
M^R JOSIAH LOVETT,
who departed this
Life Feb^r 13th 1787 :
Aged 80 years.

IN Memory of
Mifs Rebecca Lovett,
Daug^t of Cap^t James
Lovett 2^d & M^{RS} Rebecca
Lovett; who died Nov^r 4th
1791; In the 17th year
of her age.

*Father I give my spirit up,
And trust it in thy hand,
My dying flesh shall rest in hope,
And rise at thy command.*

—
IN Memory of
SALLY LOW,
Daug^r of M^R JOHN
& M^{RS} ELISABETH
LOW, who died
Oct^r 21st 1786 Aged
2 years, 2 mon^s & 14 day^s.
Childhood & youth are vanity.

—
IN Memory of
Mrs. REBECCA MANSFIELD,
Relict of
Mr. THOMAS MANSFIELD,
who died May. 30th 1790,
Aged 58 years.
*Death thou hast conquer'd me,
I by thy dart am slain;
But Christ has conquer'd thee
And I shall rise again.*

—
ANNA MORGAN
Y^e W I F E O F
ROBERT MORGAN
AGED 27 YEARS
DIED APRIL Y^e 2^d
1 7 0 2

—
Here Lyes the
Body of Nicholas
Morgain who
died July y^e
6 1 7 3 1 in
y^e 3 5 year
of His Age.

In Memory of
WILLIAM MORGAN
son of M^r WILLIAM &
M^{rs} ABIGAIL MORGAN
who died Feb^{ry} y^e 15
1758. Aged 19 days.

Here lies the Body of M^r
ZACHARIAS MORGAIN
who Died October
y^e 22 1759
Aged 31 Years.

Here Lyes y^e Body of M^{rs}
Abigail Ober Wid^o of M^r
Richard Ober Who
Died January y^e 28th
174½ Aged 86 Years

To be continued.

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

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Isaac Buswell agreed to convey to Tho : Barnard (also spelled Barnett), both of Salisbury, for £13 10s., in pipe staves, plank and corn, 20 acres of land on Paw-waus river, April 8, 1657. Wit: Tho : Macy and mark of Sarah Buswell. Ack. by Isaac Buswell and his wife Susanah in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

Vallentine Rowell (his [mark]) of Salisbury, planter, for pine boards, conveyed to William Osgood of Salisbury, millwright, a right of commonage in Salisbury I bought of Daniell Lad, April —, 1661. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

John Nash (his (mark), for £3 10s., conveyed to John Maxfeild 10 acres of upland in Salisbury, formerly granted by the town to Anthony Colby, bounded by John Coules, etc., Oct. 20, 1660. Wit: Richard Currier and Robert Ring. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

April 12, 1661, Thomas Barnard (also spelled Barnett) of ye new town of Salisbury, for £6 15s., conveyed to William Barnes (his 7 mark), Richard Currier and Vallentine Rowell (his 7 mark), inhabitants of the same town, in behalf of ye new

town, 10 acres of upland in said new town late in the possession of Isaac Buswell, near the mill. Wit: Wymond Bradbury and Samuell Hall. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661. The above grantees convey the said land to Joseph Peasley. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

Will of Joseph Peasley (signature, Peaslie). To my wife Mary for her life ; to my daughter Sarah my house and land at Salisbury ; to my son Joseph (under 20 years of age) my land upon the plain, meadow in East meadow, and my right in the ox pasture, all at Haverhill, and all my other land there not herein disposed of, and five common rights belonging to the plain ; to my daughter Elizabeth 44 acres of upland lying westward of Haverhill, 4½ acres in the West meadow at Haverhill, and four common rights belonging to the plain ; to my daughters Jane and Mary 10s. each ; to my grandchild Sarah Saier land at Spickett river. My wife Mary, ex'x. Dated Nov. 11, 1660. Wit: Phillip Challis, Thomas Barnard and Richard Currier. Proved by first two witnesses in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

Inv. of estate of Joseph Peasley taken by Richard Currier, Thomas Barnard and William Barnes. Amount, £143 5s. (house and lands £50).

James Davis and Theophilus Sachwell appraised the other real estate in detail at £223, at request of the widow Mary Peasley, ex'x, who swore to it in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

John Barrett (his (his mark), ensign, of Wells, York co., yeoman, conveyed to Nathanell Boulter of Hampton 100 acres of upland and meadow (George Barley was to make good 10 acres of meadow thereof to the grantor) in Hampton, up Tayler's river, by the Indian graves, commonly called James Wall's farm, sometime in the hands of John Legatt of Exeter, July 4, 1660. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Henry Robie. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9 : 2 mo : 1661.

Aug. 5, 1651, John Robinson (also spelled Robison) (his T mark) of Haverhill, for £25, conveyed to Thomas Lilfurth

of Haverhill my accommodations in Haverhill, viz. 10 acres to my house lot (6 acres of which was given to me by the town and 4 acres I bought of Willi: Butler), 6 acres in the north meadow, and 8 acres of planting land to be laid out below Little river; also, my house, etc. Elizabeth Robifon also signs. Wit: Richard Littlehale and William White. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1661.

Thomas Carter (his T mark) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Richard Goodale, sr., of Salisbury, my house lot in Salisbury, bounded by Henry Brown, Jn^o Ilsley, street, Tho: Bradbury and lot formerly of Steven fflanders, 13: 2: 1661. Wit: Sam: foott and Sa: Hall. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin.

Edward Cottell (his †† mark) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to John Hoyt, jr., of Salisbury, planter, 5 acres of upland granted to me by Salisbury 29: 10: 1656, west side of Pawwaus river, south end of Tom: Whitcher's hill, May 20, 1660. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, John Ilsley and Jane Bradbury. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1661.

Richard Goodale, sr., (his T mark) of Salisbury, husbandman, conveyed to Thomas Carter of Salisbury, planted "Goodale's Rie lott" of 6 acres, in Salisbury, east side of Pawwaus, encompassed by common land, 13: 2: 1661. Wit: Sam: foot (his 4 mark) and Sam: Hall. Ack., and R. G.'s wife consented, before Tho: Wiggin April 13, 1661.

Thomas Macy of Salisbury, for £7, conveyed to "Petter Gee of Neuton fferis in y^e County of Devon in old England fisherman" 6 acres and 90 rods of salt marsh, being my sweepage at the beach near the great creek's mouth, bounded by Edmond Elliott and Joseph f French; and 3 acres in hoghouse meadows, all in Salisbury, Dec. 18, 1657. Wit: Mary Bradbury (her MB mark) and Judeth Bradbury. Ack. before Tho: Bradbury, commissioner of Salisbury, T. M.'s wife surrendering dower, 18: 10: 1657.

Peter Gee assigns above conveyance to Nathan Gold of Newtowne Salisbury, for

£12, May 24, 1661. Wit: Robert Pike and Sarah Bradbury.

Anthony Stanian of Hampton, for £70, conveyed to Robert Downer of Nuberie, house and 32 acres of land in Salisbury, viz: 4 acres adjoining the house, 4 acres in great meadow, 7 acres in bareberry meadows, 8 acres of salt marsh in first division of higgledde pigledde towards Hampton, 4 acres of salt marsh near Mr. Hall's farm, and sweepage at the beach towards Hampton (all of the lands and house being formerly of William Partridg, deceased), July 3, 1661. Wit: Anthony Sumersbie and John Browne. Ack., and A. S.'s wife Ann surrendered dower, in court at Hampton 8: 8: 1661.

Tho: filbrick, sr., (his T mark) and Tho: Philbrick (also filbrick), jr., of Hampton, for £5 10 s., conveyed to Henry Moulton of Hampton 5 acres in East field, bounded by highway, Goodman Page and Christopher Palmer, 7: 4 mo: 1661. Wit: Henry Dowe and Joseph Dowe. Ack. by both in court at Hampton 10: 8: 1661.

Thomas Warde of Hampton, planter, for £35, conveyed to Jasper Blake of Hampton, fisherman, dwelling house, barn and 7½-acre house lot, 10 acres of upland, 6 acres of salt marsh and one share of cowes common, all being in Hampton, and lately in the possession of grantor and now in possession of grantee, 4: 9 mo: 1650. Wit: John Daud and John Redman. Ack. before William Hibbins 5: 9 mo: 1650, T. W.'s wife surrendering dower in court at Hampton 8: 8: 1661.

Thomas King (his T mark) of Exeter, for £3 and 6 days' work, conveyed to Henry Magoone of Exeter 2½ acres of upland upon which his dwelling-house standeth, being formerly of Willi: Whitted of Ipswich and before of Nicolas Lissen, Oct. 7, 1661. Wit: Sam: Dudley and Nicolas Lissen. T. K.'s wife Miriam (her M mark) released dower, and he ack. in court at Hampton 9: 8 mo: 1661.

Nicholas Lissen of Exeter conveyed to Henry Magoon, my son-in-law, 2½ acres of land adjoining land H. M. bought of

Thomas King, and the lot I bought of m^r. Sam: Dudley (except $\frac{1}{4}$ acre which my barn stands on), on grantee's decease his eldest son John to inherit it, Oct. 7, 1661. Wit: Sam: Dudley and mark \neg of Tho: King. Ack. in court at Hampton 9: 8 mo: 1661.

John Warrin (his I W mark) of Exeter, for £8, conveyed to John Sinklar of Exeter 10 acres of land, bounded by Tho: Biggs' house, and one common right, Jan. 6, 1659. Wit: Sam: Dudley. Ack. in court at Hampton 9: 8 mo: 1661.

William Coule of Hampton, carpenter, for £9, conveyed to Henry Robie of Hampton, 3 acres of salt marsh granted to me by Hampton, near land of Tho: Philbrick, jr., called ye hop ground, bounded by Nathaniell Batcheller, Tho: Philbrick, March 17, 1660. Wit: John Barsham and Nathnell Bachelor. Ack. in court at Hampton 11: 8 mo: 1661.

Samuel Winsley, sr., of Salisbury, for £70, mortgages to my son Samuel Winsley, jr., of Salisbury my now dwelling-house, barn and house lot of 7 acres on town lane leading to the new creek, bounded by Mr. Francis Doue, green; 20 acres of meadow, bounded by my house lot, meadow of John Rolfe; 3-acre island in said meadow; salt marsh bounded by Phillip Challis, William Barnes and Richard Goodale, sr., and ditch to the beach bars; salt marsh beyond Mr. Mondey's pond towards fox island, bounded by Mr. Thomas Bradbury; upland upon the neck of land leading to the hog house; my right in the last grant of the town of the 500 acres and rights of commonage in Salisbury, Dec. 15, 1660. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and William Buswell. Ack. before Ri: Bellingham, dep.-gov., 22: 10: 1660.

Edward Colcord of Hampton, for £26, mortgages to Christopher Pallmer, (also Palmer) of Hampton land in Hampton, 6 acres of planting ground near Henry Robie's house; 11 acres in the north plain, sometimes granted to Henry Ambross by Hampton; and land bounded by Phillip Toule, Thomas Ward and the mill brook, as it was granted to William Howard,

March 16, 1661. Wit: Abraham Drake and John Samborne. Ack. before Ric: Bellingham, dep.-gov., 17: 8: 1661.

William Deale of Haverhill took up a stray colt about a year old, March 4, 1661-2.

April 12, 1654, Daniell Lad (also Ladd) (his \neg mark) of Haverhill conveyed to Vallentine Rowell of Salisbury 4 acres of planting land with commonage at Salisbury-old-town, bounded by John Clough, Willi: Allin, swamp and highway. Wit: Rich: Littlehale and Roger Lanckton. Ack. in court at Salisbury 11: 2 mo: 1654.

John Sanders of Nuberie, yeoman, with consent of my wife Hester, for £43, conveyed to Richard Wells of Salisbury, glover, dwelling-house and 2 acres of land adjoining in Salisbury, bounded by Mr. Henry Mondey, Henry Ambrose and green, 30: 7: 1652. Wit: Samuell Winsley and Robert Pike. Ack. by J. S. 7: 12 mo: 1652, and by his wife Hester 6: 2 mo: 1653, before Samuell Winsley and Robert Pike, commissioners.

Dec. 20, 1661, widow Ellinor Hooke of Salisbury, for £3, conveyed to Richard North of Salisbury, husbandman, 3 acres of meadow by the hog house creek in Salisbury. Wit: Mary Hoadley (her T mark) and Samuell Hall. Ack. before Richard Russell March 7, 1661.

Whereas William Estow of Hampton, yeoman, deceased, sold to Mr. Timothie Dalton, teacher to the church at Hampton, 50 acres of upland and rights belonging to the same at the head of said Dalton's farm in Hampton, laid out by said Estow and John Samborne, the town treasurers, bounded by Christopher Palmer and common land, the sale is now consummated by Estow's two sons-in-law Thomas Marston and Morris Hobbs (his 8 mark), 22: 1: 1657-8. Wit: Christopher Hussey and Abraham Pirkins. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin April 12, 1658.

Robert Swan of Haverhill enters caution relative to 108 acres of land in Haverhill bought of Tho: Davis, April 9, 1662.

March 5, 1652, Isaac Cosens (signed Isaac Coseans) of Haverhill, for £3, con-

veyed to Robert Swan of Rowley $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres in ye east meadow I bought of John Chenere, bounded by Richard Littlehale. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale.

Thomas Moulton of Hampton, planter, for £100, conveyed to Timothie Dalton of Hampton, teacher to ye church of christ there, my house, house lot, marsh and commonage, 12: 3 mo: 1656. Wit: Thomas Whelwright, and Moses Cox. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin 11: 2 mo: 1659.

Rodger Shaw of Hampton, yeoman, conveyed to Samuell Tilton ye son of Susana, my late wife, now deceased, 15 acres in Hampton, bounded by Robert Tuck, Jn°. Cleford and country highway; and 5 acres of salt marsh, bounded by Willi: Swain and Joseph Shaw, April 6, 1660. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Tho: Ward. Ack. before Symon — Oct. —, 1660.

John Severans of Salisbury, planter, and my wife Susanna, conveyed to Benjamin Kimball of Salisbury, wheelwright, 2 acres of meadow, bounded by Phillip Challis, Jn° Bayly, Tho: Bradbury and a creek, April 11, 1662. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Tho: Carter (his J mark), of Salisbury, planter, with consent of my wife Mary, conveyed to William Buswell of Salisbury, weaver, 6 acres of salt marsh (lot 39) in Salisbury, bounded by Rodger Eastman, Isaac Buswell and dead creek, 25: 2: 1653. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Wymond Bradbury. Ack. by T. C., his wife Mary surrendering dower, in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

William Barnes (his 7 mark) of Salisbury, house carpenter for £3 10s., conveyed to Willia: Buswell of Salisbury, weaver, swamp in Salisbury, bounded by Isaac Buswell, great swamp, etc., April 4, 1662. Wit: Sam: Buswell, Georg: Broughton and Sam: Hall. Ack. by W. B., his wife Rachell surrendering dower, in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Andrew Greely of Salisbury, shoemaker, for £4 10s., conveyed to Will: Buswell of Salisbury, weaver, 3 acres of salt marsh in Salisbury, bounded by Jn° Gill, Sam: Groom, Jn° Dickison and Jn° Weed, April

4, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Wymond Bradbury. Ack. by A. G., his wife Mary releasing dower, in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Samuell Buswell of Salisbury, planter, for £12, conveyed to Willi: Buswell of Salisbury, weaver, 2-acre house lot in Salisbury, bounded by Jn° Severans and a house lot formerly Jn° Baylie's now in the possession of Mr. Tho: Bradbury and street, April 5, 1662. Wit: W^m Barnes (his 7 mark), George Broughton and Sam: Hall. Ack. by S. B., his wife Sara releasing dower, in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

May 20, 1661, Jn° Hoyt, sr. (his H mark), of Salisbury, husbandman, for £14, conveyed to John Bartlett of Newbury, shoemaker, 4 acres of meadow in Salisbury, bounded by Willia: Osgood, Willia Barnes, Rodger Eastman and town creek. Wit: Anthony Sumerby and Archelaus Woodman. Ack. by J. H., his wife Frances releasing dower, in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

July 18, 1657, Samuell Hall of Salisbury, gent., conveyed to William Spilsberie of Newbury, husbandman, 6 acres in barebery meadows in Salisbury, bounded by Rich: North, Abraham Morrill and William Sargent; and 2 acres of meadow, bounded on a creek. Wit: Phill: Challis and the mark M of Georg Martyn. Ack. in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Rodger Eastman (his 7 mark) of Salisbury and wife Sarah (her \$ mark), conveyed to William Allin of Salisbury a 2-acre planting lot in Salisbury, bounded by Henry Brown, land that was granted to Tho: Carter, common way to ye mill, and an old path going through the planting lots, April 10, 1662. Wit: Jonathan Singletary and Richard Hubbard. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Feb. 26, 1661, Robert Swan and wife Elizabeth of Haverhill, for £3, conveyed to Steven Webster of Haverhill, 1-acre house lot adjoining 4-acre house lot he bought of me. Wit: Richard Littlehale. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

April 17, 1661, Robert Swan and wife Elizabeth of Haverhill, for £12, conveyed

to Steven Webster 4 acres of land, being part of the lot said R. S. bought of Steven Kent, bounded by highway, etc. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Jarrett Haddon (his E mark) of Salisbury, tailor, for 35s., conveyed to Richard Currier of Salisbury 8 acres in the new town at Salisbury, in the Lyon's mouth, bounded by Widow Colby and highway leading to ye great swamp, April 10, 1662. Wit: Tho: ffowler and Steven fflanders. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

To be continued.

NOTES.

Susannah Adams (No. 372, page 77, *Antiquarian*, volume II.) married Thomas Worthen and lived in Bradford, Vt. Both died in Thetford, Vt., she March 17, 1843, and he Oct. 21, 1851. Professor Worthen of Dartmouth college is their grandson.—*Mary W. Parkinson, Cincinnati, O.*

Capt. Richard Adams married Eliza —; he died May 27, 1806; their children, born in Newburyport: Joshua Moody (twin), born Aug. 18, 1783; died at sea Sept. —, 1802; Polly (twin), born Aug. 18, 1783; Joshua, born Aug. 21, 1785; Richard, born Oct. 25, 1787; died at sea Oct. (Nov. ?) —, 1802; Robert, born May 26, 1790; Alice, b. June 5, 1792; Eliza Minot, born May 26, 1798.

Benjamin Adams married Susanna —; their children, born in Newburyport: Susanna, born Oct. 3, 1797; Sarah, Aug. 15, 1799; died Aug. 15, 1799; Samuel Goodhue, born July 22, 1800; twins, born June —, 1801; Paul (twin), born June 9, 1802; died June 10, 1802; Silas (twin), born June 9, 1802; d. June 12, 1802; Benjamin, born June 23, 1803; John Boddily, born April 11, 1805; James Foster, died Dec. 29, 1809.

—*Newburyport town records.*

Richard Adams excused from training, 1672, 1674.

John Adams, son of George Adams, both of Lynn, was servant of Jn^o. Gifford, and not of the Iron company, 1658.

Jno. Adams and James Adams of Lynn, 1658.

James Adams of Lynn, one of the Scotchmen, was gone with Gifford's team, 1658.

John Adams, Mr. Gifford's Scotchman, was kept in his house till lately, then put to a smith, June court, 1658.

Walt: Adams of Marblehead, witness, 1669.

Francis Adams in court, 1641.

George Adams in court, 1655.

John Adams, sentenced to be whipped for running away from his master Thordike, 1636.

—*Salem quarterly court records and files.*

Mary, wife of John Adams, died June 25, 1785, aged twenty-two.

Joseph Hillard Adams (son of John) died June 21, 1785, aged one.

—*Charter street burying ground, Salem.*

Children of Archelaus Adams: Samuel, baptized Nov. 8, 1747; Samuel, baptized Jan. 21, 1749.—*Salisbury church records.*

John Adams of Marblehead, shop keeper, bought house, etc., on northeast side of King street in Marblehead, in 1783.

Richard Adams bought an old house and some land in Salem in 1646. He was of Salem, 1651-1679; planter, 1671; Mason, 1679; wife Susanna, 1670-1679.

Richard Adams of Salem, yeoman, in 1688, intended marriage with Martha Foster of Salem, widow of John Foster, then lately deceased. She had minor children; and the agreement was that all of Adams' property should go to them.

Widow Sarah Adams of Salem in 1775.

Katharine Adams and Enoch Adams, both of Newbury, convey land to Edmund Adams of Newbury in 1776.

—*Registry of deeds.*

John Adams of Marblehead, painter and stainer, 1718-1728; married Joanna Dodd of Marblehead Feb. 23, 1718-9. Administration was granted on his estate in 1732. She survived him.—*Marblehead town records, probate records, and registry of deeds.*

Administration was granted on the estate of William Adams of Marblehead,

bricklayer and mason, May 16, 1727.—*Probate records.*

Enoch Adams (No. 219, page 44, *Antiquarian*, volume II.) was a soldier in the company of Captain Gerrish in the Revolution. After marriage he settled in Salisbury, N. H. His wife died in Salisbury Aug. —, 1802, aged forty-three, and he died Feb. 27, 1842. They had nine children.—*S. P. Sharples, Boston.*

Benjamin Aborn of Lynn published to Mary Sheldern of Redin Feb. 17, 1760.

Rev. Benjamin Adams published to Rebecca Nichols of Reading Oct. 3, 1756.

—*Lynn town records.*

Enoch Adams (No. 154, page 65*) and his wife Sarah lie side by side in the graveyard by the Rumford road, about half a mile south of Andover (Me.) Village. The inscriptions read: "Enoch Adams died Aug. 19, 1819. Ae. 67 yrs. He was the second settler in Andover." "Sarah, wife of Enoch Adams, died July 9, 1801, Ae. 43. She was the first person buried in this yard."

The first agreement, under order of the General Court of Massachusetts, concerning sale of the wild land which is now Andover, Me., was signed by Thomas Poor of Methuen and Enoch Adams and Ebenezer Poor, jr., of Andover, Mass., and dated Boston, May 21, 1788. The original agreement of the proprietors, fourteen in number, of whom Enoch Adams was one, was signed Sept. 1, 1788, at Andover, Mass. The second meeting was held at the house of Enoch Adams, Andover, Mass., Sept. 4, 1788. The third meeting is thus recorded: "On Ellis River met on said Township at Enoch Adams Camp. * * * * 3d Voted that the name of the Township be East Andover." The town was known as East Andover, Me., until incorporated in 1804, when it took the name of Andover. The fourth meeting was held at Enoch Adams' house, and although not definitely stated to be at Andover, Mass., the context plainly shows that to have been the fact. So that, although Enoch Adams may have

had a camp at East Andover when said meeting was held, May 15, 1789, he had not permanently settled there. According to the minutes of a meeting held Aug. 10, 1791, Enoch Adams was at East Andover, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he permanently settled there about 1790-1.

—*Chas. L. Clarke, New York City.*

Ebenezer Aborn married Mehitabel Larrabee Feb. 5, 1784.

Children of Samuel Aborn: Clarissa, baptized March 29, 1795; Warren, baptized June 25, 1797; Mary Flint, baptized Oct. 20, 1799.

Children of Joseph Aborn: Sally, Eben, Nabby, Lucy and Eliza, baptized Sept. 11, 1796; and son, John Silver, baptized Nov. 4, 1798.

John and Samuel, sons of Samuel Aborn, baptized Nov. 4, 1792.

—*Lynnfield church records.*

In the article on "Early Methods of Cooking" in the December, 1898, *Antiquarian*, the first engraving on page 185 represents the James stove, with oval covers, very well. I have a paper printed in 1833, in which that stove is advertised. James was a New York man. I have two of his stoves, one with oval, and the other with round covers. The one with the oval covers was the older pattern.—*Eugene Noyes, Amesbury.*

Nehemiah Adams¹ married Hannah Riggs, both of Gloucester, Nov. 13, 1721. He was a weaver, and lived in Gloucester. His will, dated Jan. 27, 1752, was proved Oct. 16, 1752. His wife Hannah survived him. Children, born in Gloucester: 1. *James*², born Sept. 10, 1722. 2. *Nehemiah*², born Sept. 29, 1725; lived in Gloucester; fisherman; married, first, Martha Riggs March 16, 1748; second, Ruth Toppan Nov. 26, 1756; and lived in Gloucester; mariner; children, born in Gloucester: Thomas³, born March 8, 1749; died July 18, 1756; Nehemiah³, born July 18, 1751; Martha³, born Nov. 21, 1754; Sarah³, born Sept. 8, 1757; Esther³, born May 20, 1759; Hannah³, born Aug. 31, 1761; Abigail³,

* *The Essex Antiquarian*, volume II.

born Aug. 22, 1763; Lucy,³ born May 20, 1767; James,³ born Sept. 3, 1769. 3. *Thomas*², born Nov. 2, 1727. 4. *Mary*², born June 13, 1730. 5. *Andrew*², born Sept. —, 1732. 6. *Hannah*², born Aug. 22, 1735. 7. *Jonathan*², born Sept. 17, 1739; married Bethiah Witham (published Oct. 25, 1759); lived in Gloucester; mariner; administration on his estate granted Aug. 29, 1768; wife Bethiah survived him, and was of Gloucester, his widow, 1795.—*Gloucester town records and probate records.*

“William Vans

SELLS choice Raifins by the Cask; Brandy, West-India Rum, Molasses and Sugar, by the Barrel: Also good Saltertudas and English Salt. N. B. He continues to sell most Sorts of Goods by Retail, as usual.

“Salem, Nov. 1, 1768.”

—*Advertisement in Essex Gazette, Oct. 25—Nov. 1, 1768.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

197. Noah West married Abigail Blay in Newbury in 1745. Would like the ancestry of this Noah West and Abigail Blay.

D.

Portland, Me.

198. Wanted, the ancestry of Hannah Davis who married Joseph Clark of Gloucester, 1682.

G. R. S.

Madison, Wis.

199. Wanted, the ancestry of Mary Baker (born, 1662, died, 1723) who married John Haskell of Gloucester Nov. 29, 1685.

G. R. S.

200. Wanted, the ancestry of Mary Stuard who married John Foster of Salem March 18, 1672.

M. S. F.

Madison, Wis.

201. Who was Elizabeth, wife of Timothy⁵ Ayer (Ebenezer⁴ of Salem, N. H., Samuel³, Peter², John,¹ of Haverhill)? Where and when (about 1766) did he marry her?

C. M. A.

Grand Rapids, Mich.

202. In Attleboro, March 7, 1744, Elijah Jones was published to Mary Barrows, both of Attleboro. Wanted, parentage of Elijah Jones.

DESCENDANT.

Orchard Lake, Mich.

ANSWERS.

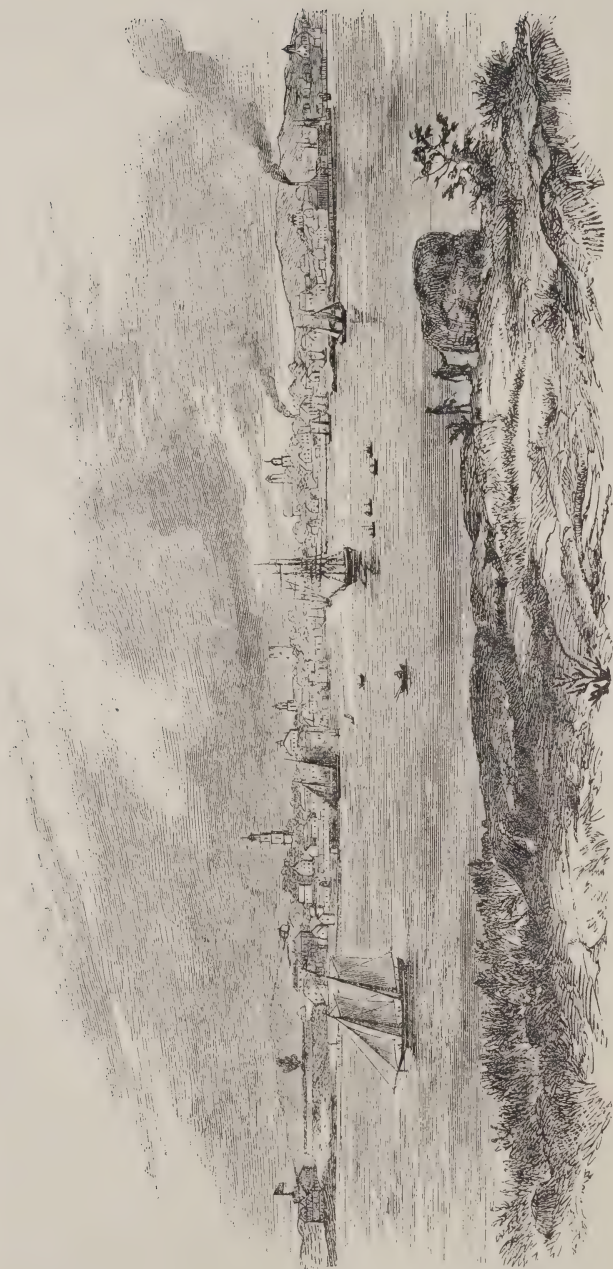
51. Does the querist mean 1730 instead of 1630? I find the marriage, in the Newbury records, of Joseph Noyes and Elizabeth Woodman, both of Newbury, Nov. 10, 1726. She was daughter of Jonathan and Abigail (Atkinson) Woodman, and born in Newbury Sept. 7, 1706. Jonathan was son of Jonathan who was son of Edward Woodman.—*Mrs. Ellen M. Little, Newbury.*

102. Susanna Butler who married Ezekiel Cheever Dec. 6, 1770, was a daughter of William Butler, and was born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, where she was baptized Aug. 18, 1745. Her mother was Sarah Marshall. William Butler and Sarah Marshall were married in Ipswich Aug. 26, 1740. Lt. William Butler, the father of Susanna, died in Ipswich Aug. 30, 1772. In his will he called himself “gentleman.”—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

NOYES PEDIGREE. By *James Atkins Noyes*. Boston, 1899. This is an eleven-page pamphlet, giving one line of the descendants of Rev. William Noyes, rector of Cholderton, England, father of Rev. James Noyes of Newbury. It is a valuable compilation, pains having apparently been taken to obtain all available information concerning the line presented.

ANCESTRAL CHART. This is a chart of forty-four large pages, arranged by Eben Putnam, the genealogist. Its advantage lies in the adaptability to additions, any number of generations with the same size of spaces being readily inserted. Spaces for coats-of-arms, family portraits, pictures of heirlooms, authorities and index add to its value. See advertisement.



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ALLEY GENEALOGY.

THE name of ALLEY is also spelled in the records of Essex county *Alee*, *Allee*, and *Ally*.

The first of the name here was

HUGH ALLEY,¹ born about 1608. He came in the ship *Abigail* in 1635, from London, at the age of twenty-seven. He lived in Lynn, owning land in Nahant. He died 25: 11: 1673; and his wife Mary survived him, being his widow July 1, 1674.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 2—I. MARY², b. Jan. 6, 1641-2; m. John Linsey June 6, 1667.
- 3—II. JOHN², b. Nov. 30, 1646. *See below* (3).
- 4—III. MARTHA², b. July 31, 1649; m. James Mills 1: 2 mo: 1671.
- 5—IV. SARAH², b. April 15, 1651; m. Eleazer Linsey "beginning of August," 1668.
- 6—V. HUGH², b. Oct. 15, 1653. *See below* (6).
- 7—VI. SOLOMON², b. Aug. 2, 1656; one of Captain Lothrop's company, "the flower of Essex;" and was killed at Bloody Brook Sept. 18, 1675.
- 8—VII. HANNAH², b. June 1, 1661; d. 30: 8: 1674.
- 9—VIII. JACOB², b. Sept. 5, 1663; d. Jan. 25, 1674.

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JOHN ALLEY², born in Lynn Nov. 30, 1646. He resided in Lynn; and was a fisherman. He married Joanna Furnill Aug. 15, 1670. Both were living in Lynn in 1688.

Children,* born in Lynn:—

- 10—I. SARAH³, b. April 15, 1671.
- 11—II. MARY³, b. April 25, 1673.
- 12—III. JOHN³, b. Jan. —, 1675-6.
- 13—IV. HANNAH³, b. Jan. 22, 1679-80.
- 14—V. REBECCA³, b. May 28, 1683.
- 15—VI. HUGH³, b. Feb. 15, 1685-6.
- 16—VII. WILLIAM³, b. July 14, 1688.

*Savage says that there were two more daughters that died young.

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HUGH ALLEY², born in Lynn Oct. 15, 1653. Before his marriage he lived with the widow of Richard Rooten of Lynn; and was a weaver by trade. He lived in Lynn; and married Rebecca Hood Dec. 9, 1681. He divided his estate between his wife Rebecca and his children in 1712; and she was his widow in 1722.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 17—I. SOLOMON³, b. Oct. 11, 1682; perhaps died before 1712.
- 18—II. JACOB ("Faroh"?),³ b. Jan. 28, 1683-4; perhaps died before 1712.
- 19—III. ELEAZER³, b. Nov. 1, 1686; perhaps died before 1712.
- 20—IV. HANNAH³, b. Aug. 16, 1689; unmarried in 1712.
- 21—V. RICHARD³, b. July 31, 1691; living in 1712.
- 22—VI. JOSEPH³, b. June 22, 1693. *See below* (22).
- 23—VII. BENJAMIN³, b. Feb. 24, 1694-5. *See below* (23).
- 24—VIII. SAMUEL³. *See below* (24).

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JOSEPH ALLEY³, born in Lynn June 22, 1693. He lived in Lynn; and was a shipwright. He married, first, Hepzibah Newhall Jan. 14, 1724-5. She was living in 1727. He married, second, Ann, or Anna, Johnson of Lynn Dec. 10, 1755. Administration was granted on his estate Sept. 8, 1767. His wife Anna survived him. He conveyed his house to his sons Joseph and John in 1765.

Children:—

- 25—I. JOSEPH⁴. *See below* (25).
- 26—II. WILLIAM⁴, living in 1767.
- 27—III. JOHN⁴, living in 1767.
- 28—IV. SARAH⁴, m. — Lewis before 1767.
- 29—V. MARY⁴, m. Samuel Hallowell of Lynn Dec. 19, 1758; and was living in 1767.
- 30—VI. ANNA⁴, m. Thomas Williams (pub. Aug. 6, 1757).

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BENJAMIN ALLEY³, born in Lynn Feb. 24, 1694-5. He was a farmer and fisherman; and lived in Lynn. He married, first, Elizabeth Newhall of Lynn (published Sept. 26, 1717). She was living in 1741. He subsequently married Hannah Hart^o of Lynn (published March 20, 1742-3). He made his will May 19, 1756, and it was proved June 21, 1756. His wife Hannah survived him.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 31—I. JACOB⁴, b. Sept. 19, 1719. *See below (31).*
- 32—II. SOLOMON⁴, b. Jan. 2, 1721. *See below (32).*
- 33—III. ELEAZER⁴, b. April 16, 1723; lived in Lynn, shipwright, 1749; m. Tabitha Ingalls of Lynn (pub. Sept. 20, 1747); and was living in 1756.
- 34—IV. RICHARD⁴, b. Oct. 9, 1726; perhaps d. young.
- 35—V. HANNAH⁴, b. July 28, 1728; m. John Ingalls of Lynn March 22, 1749-50; and d. before 1756.
- 36—VI. BENJAMIN⁴, b. April 9, 1731; of Boston, shipwright, 1749; living in 1756.
- 37—VII. JOHN⁴, b. March 25, 1738. *See below (37).*
- 38—VIII. ABNER⁴ (twin), b. Feb. 18, 1741. *See below (38).*
- 39—IX. ELIZABETH⁴ (twin), b. Feb. 18, 1741; m. John Richards Nov. 1, 1757.

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SAMUEL ALLEY³, lived in Lynn, and was a housewright by trade, being a fisherman for several years in the middle of his life. He married Abigail Basset Dec. 12, 1728; and died between March 3 and Nov. 2, 1767. She survived him.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 40—I. HUGH⁴, b. Sept. 5, 1729. *See below (40).*
- 41—II. SARAH⁴, b. May 28, 1732 (3?); unmarried (?) in 1767; probably m. her cousin Hannah's (35) husband, John Ingalls of Lynn, Nov. 5, 1753.
- 42—III. REBECCA⁴, b. Dec. 31, 1742; Quakeress; m. Ebenezer Hawkes of Lynn 17: 4: 1765.
- 43—IV. SAMUEL⁴; Quaker; lived in Lynn in 1763, and in Bristol, Lincoln co., in 1779; shipwright; and m. Deborah Breed July 16, 1758.

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JOSEPH ALLEY⁴. He was first a fisherman, and subsequently a cordwainer; and lived in Lynn. He married Rebecca Hall of Lynn Nov. 12, 1751. His will, dated

Nov. 1, 1781, was proved Nov. 3, 1783. She was living in Lynn, his widow, in 1785.

Children :—

- 44—I. NATHAN⁵. *See below (44).*
- 45—II. EPHRAIM⁵. *See below (45).*
- 46—III. JOSEPH⁵. *See below (46).*
- 47—IV. JOHN⁵, living in 1785.
- 48—V. HEPZIBAH⁵, living in 1785.
- 49—VI. LYDIA⁵, living in 1785.
- 50—VII. REBECCA⁵, probably married William Newhall, 4th, of Lynn Jan. 9, 1791.

31

JACOB ALLEY⁴, born in Lynn Sept. 19, 1719. He lived in Lynn, succeeding his father on the homestead; and was a yeoman and cordwainer. He married* Huldah Newhall of Lynn June 26, 1753. He was alive in 1773; and administration upon his estate was granted April 28, 1777. She survived him, and died April 22, 1808.

Children :—

- 51—I. JACOB⁵, living in Sherburne, Nantucket co., 1780; Quaker; shipwright; eldest son in 1777.
- 52—II. TIMOTHY⁵, b. Oct. 10, 1760. *See below (52).*
- 53—III. JERUSHA⁵, b. about 1764; m. William Richards of Lynn (pub. June 5, 1785).
- 54—IV. BENJAMIN⁵, b. about 1765. *See below (54).*
- 55—V. SOLOMON⁵, b. about 1768. *See below (55).*

32

SOLOMON ALLEY⁴, born in Lynn Jan. 2, 1721. He was a fisherman; and lived in Lynn. He married Rebecca —; and they were both living in 1771.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 56—I. JEDEDIAH⁵, b. June 15, 1743.
- 57—II. JAMES⁵, b. May 14, 1745. *See below (57).*
- 58—III. LYDIA⁵, b. Nov. 1, 1747.
- 59—IV. CONTENT⁵, b. March 30, 1750; d. March 30, 1750.
- 60—V. CONTENT⁵, b. July 12, 1752.
- 61—VI. MICAJAH⁵, b. Aug. 29, 1754; lived in Lynn; cordwainer, and subsequently merchant; m. Ruth — before 1796; and d. Aug. 12, 1820.

37

JOHN ALLEY⁴, born in Lynn March 25, 1738. He lived in Lynn; and was at first a cordwainer, and subsequently a

*Did he marry, for his first wife, Mary Proven-der of Lynn Feb. 21, 1738-9?

yeoman. He married Sarah Hood of Lynn before 1762; and she was living in 1799. He died in Lynn March 10, 1807.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 62—I. HANNAH⁵, b. May 5, 1762; m. James Breed, jr., before 1799.
- 63—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Nov. 3, 1764; d. Nov. 3, 1764.
- 64—III. DANIEL B.⁵, b. Feb. 21, 1766. *See below (64).*
- 65—IV. CONTENT⁵, b. May 31, 1768.
- 66—V. LYDIA⁵, b. Oct. 25, 1773; d. Oct. 25, 1773.
- 67—VI. JOHN⁵, b. Jan. 14, 1777; living in Lynn in 1807.

38

ABNER ALLEY⁴, born in Lynn, a twin, Feb. 18, 1741. He was called a cordwainer, but he went to sea in 1778, and was believed to have been lost. He lived in Lynn. He married Sarah Webber, who was then residing in Lynn, May 25, 1762; and she married, secondly, Jonathan Burt of Wilmington Nov. 29, 1784.

Child, born in Lynn:—

- 68—I. POLLY⁵, b. Dec. 10, 1766.

40

HUGH ALLEY⁴, born in Lynn Sept. 5, 1729. He was a Quaker; and lived in Lynn; being a fisherman and yeoman. He married Abigail — before 1758. He died before 1798; and she died April 7, 1826, aged ninety.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 69—I. ALICE⁵, b. July 8, 1758.
- 70—II. SAMUEL⁵, lived in Lynn, cordwainer; m. Ruth Pitcher of Lynn July 3, 1786.
- 71—III. LOIS⁵, b. July 8, 1765; tailor; lived in Lynn, unmarried, in 1798.

44

NATHAN ALLEY⁵, lived in Lynn, cordwainer. He married Mary Alley of Lynn Dec. 1, 1777. He died Feb. 7, 1832; and she died Aug. 13, 1836.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 72—I. NATHAN⁶, b. March 30, 1778.
- 73—II. JOSEPH⁶, b. March 26, 1780.
- 74—III. HULDY⁶, b. Oct. 30, 1781.
- 75—IV. JACOB⁶, b. Oct. 30, 1782; d. in 1782.
- 76—V. WILLIAM⁶, b. Sept. 19, 1783; d. March 16, 1853.
- 77—VI. MICAJAH⁶, b. Feb. 15, 1786.
- 78—VII. JACOB⁶, b. March 7, 1788.
- 79—VIII. TIMOTHY⁶, b. March 6, 1791.

- 80—IX. POLLY⁶, b. May 21, 1793.
- 81—X. SOLOMON⁶, b. May 16, 1795.
- 82—XI. PETER⁶, b. July 21, 1797.
- 83—XII. BETSEY⁶, b. Dec. 19, 1798.

45

EPHRAIM ALLEY⁵, lived in Lynn; and was a cordwainer. He married, first, Mehitable Hallowell July 23, 1778. She died Dec. 10, 1782; and he married, second, Hepzibah Lewis of Lynn June 17, 1783. He died May 2, 1821; and his widow, Hepzibah, died Feb. 4, 1828.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 84—I. JOHN⁶, b. May 26, 1780; living in 1821.
- 85—II. JOSEPH⁶ (twin), b. May 6, 1784; living in 1821.
- 86—III. BENJAMIN⁶ (twin), b. May 6, 1784; lived in Lynn; cordwainer; and d., probably unmarried, May 23, 1821, having given a fund to the New England Methodist conference for the support of a missionary.
- 87—IV. LEWIS⁶, b. Sept. 5, 1786; living in 1821.
- 88—V. NATHANIEL⁶, b. March 24, 1789; living in 1821.
- 89—VI. MEHITABLE⁶, b. Dec. 14, 1791; unmarried in 1821.
- 90—VII. HEPHIZIBAH⁶, b. July 13, 1794; m. — Cheever before 1821.
- 91—VIII. LYDIA⁶, b. March 27, 1797; unmarried in 1821.

46

CAPT. JOSEPH ALLEY⁵, a cordwainer, lived in Lynn. He married Hannah Batcheller Dec. 13, 1781. He died Feb. 10, 1832, and she survived him.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 92—I. SALLY⁶, b. Aug. 31, 1782; d., unmarried, in Lynn Oct. 2, 1846, aged sixty-four.
- 93—II. HEPHIZIBAH⁶, b. June 5, 1785; m. — Atkinson; and was living in 1832.
- 94—III. JOSEPH⁶, b. Jan. 19, 1788; living in 1832.
- 95—IV. HENRY⁶, b. Sept. 3, 1790; living in 1832.
- 96—V. GEORGE⁶, b. Dec. 30, 1792; living in 1832.
- 97—VI. HANNAH⁶, b. June 14, 1795; m. — Wiley; and was living in 1832.

52

TIMOTHY ALLEY⁵, born Oct. 10, 1760. He lived in Lynn; and was a cordwainer. He married Abigail Witt of Lynn April 8, 1787; and she died Oct. 9 (16—town

records), 1834, aged seventy-one. He died Dec. 16, 1850, aged ninety.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 98—I. NABBY⁶, b. July 31, 1788.
- 99—II. SALLY⁶, b. Feb. 26, 1790.
- 100—III. LYDIA⁶, b. Dec. 28, 1791; d. July 24, 1792.
- 101—IV. TIMOTHY⁶, b. April 30, 1793.
- 102—V. JOHN⁶, b. March 28, 1795.
- 103—VI. LYDIA⁶, b. May 18, 1800.
- 104—VII. JACOB⁶, b. March 12, 1802.
- 105—VIII. REUBEN⁶, b. Nov. 15, 1805.
- 106—IX. JAMES⁶, b. April 6, 1808.

54

BENJAMIN ALLEY⁵, born about 1765. He lived in Lynn; and was a cordwainer. He married Sarah Graves of Lynn Feb. 1, 1785; and died July 5, 1842, aged seventy-seven.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 107—I. HULDAH⁶, b. Feb. 28, 1785.
- 108—II. POLLY⁶, b. Sept. 14, 1786.
- 109—III. JACOB⁶, b. June 14, 1788.
- 110—IV. SALLY⁶, b. June 13, 1790.
- 111—V. LYDIA⁶, b. June 13, 1792.
- 112—VI. BENJAMIN⁶, b. Jan. 13, 1794; d. Sept. 9, 1826.

55

SOLOMON ALLEY⁵, born about 1768. He was a blacksmith; and lived in Lynn. He married, first, Bethiah Hayward (or, Howard) of Danvers (published March 18, 1792). She died Dec. 1, 1794, aged twenty-six; and he married, second, Rachel Berry of Lynn June 10, 1796, who was living in 1828. He died Jan. 19, 1829, aged sixty.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 113—I. JOHN⁶, b. Nov. 28, 1792; living in Lynn, trader, 1828.
- 114—II. HARRY⁶, b. Feb. 11, 1797; d. in Lynn June 29, 1829.
- 115—III. CHARLES⁶, b. April 30, 1800; d. May 20, 1800.
- 116—IV. RACHEL⁶, b. Nov. 12, 1803; d. Dec. 1, 1822.

57

JAMES ALLEY⁵, born in Lynn May 14, 1745. He was a cordwainer; and lived in Lynn. He married Lois —; and she was his wife in 1786. He died Oct. 17, 1823.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 117—I. MOSES BREED⁶, b. Jan. 1, 1770. *See below (117).*
- 118—II. REBECCA⁶, b. Sept. 13, 1771; m. John Southwick of Danvers Oct. 19, 1796. They were both Quakers.
- 119—III. JAMES⁶, b. Sept. 11, 1773; of Lynn, cordwainer, 1789 and 1796; and possibly removed to Marblehead.
- 120—IV. MIRIAM⁶, b. June 28, 1775; died Sept. —, 1783.

64

DANIEL B. ALLEY⁵, born in Lynn Feb. 21, 1766. He was a cordwainer; and lived in his native town till 1795, when he settled in Henniker, N. H. He was a Quaker; and a man of eccentric habits. In his later years he was insane, being an inmate of the asylum at Concord. He married, first, Elizabeth — before 1792. She died in Amesbury Sept. 27, 1793; and he married, second, Abigail —, who died Feb. 17, 1836. He died Feb. 27, 1848.

Children :—

- 121—I. EZEKIEL J.⁶, b. April 1, 1793, in Lynn; died in Lynn Sept. 9, 1793.
- 122—II. ELIZABETH⁶, b. Jan. 19, 1796; m. James Peasley April 17, 1822; and was living in 1837.
- 123—III. ABIGAIL⁶, b. Sept. 12, 1797; m. — Page; and was living in 1837.
- 124—IV. DANIEL⁶, b. April 9, 1799; lived in Henniker; sheriff; m. Rachel Folsom Nov. 20, 1826; and d. Jan. 28, 1847. She was living in 1880.
- 125—V. HUGH J.⁶ (twin), b. June 28, 1800; d. Nov. 14, 1816.
- 126—VI. SAMUEL⁶ (twin), b. June 28, 1800; d. May 16, 1817.
- 127—VII. JOSHUA F.⁶, b. Dec. 26, 1804; lived in Lynn; teamster; m. Mary B. —; and d., probably childless, March 19, 1837.
- 128—VIII. JOHN⁶, b. Nov. 25, 1806; d. June 26, 1810.

117

MOSES BREED ALLEY⁶, born in Lynn Jan. 1, 1770. He was a cordwainer; and lived in Lynn. He married Alice —; and both died in 1801.

Children :—

- 129—I. AMOS P.⁷, living in 1801.
- 130—II. MOSES⁷, lived in Lynn in 1827, and perhaps removed to Londonderry, N. H.

THE DARK DAY.

'Twas on a May-day of the far old year
 Seventeen hundred eighty, that there fell
 Over the bloom and sweet life of the spring,
 Over the fresh earth and the heaven of noon,
 A horror of great darkness, like the night
 In day of which the Norland sagas tell,
 The twilight of the gods.

—*John G. Whittier.*

DARK DAYS.

There are at least three days in the period of Essex county history that are denominated dark days if we include the "yellow day" of September 6, 1881. The first was October 21, 1716, and the second May 19, 1780.

On each of these days the smell of smoke pervaded the air, indicating large fires. This was, without doubt, the cause of the thick clouds that enveloped this region at those times. At the time of these several occurrences the ground was bare, and forest fires were raging. The most notable of the dark days, that of 1780, occurred at a time when the settlement of northern and northeastern New England was being pushed with vigor. The smoke no doubt came from the great fires made by the settlers in clearing their land for cultivation. They selected the ground to be cleared, and in the winter cut the trees half way through the trunks, breast high. When all had been so cut, one tree was felled at some adjacent point, against the trees standing near, causing them to also fall. By this means the whole tract of great primeval trees, with a grand and terrific crash, became, in a few minutes, a huge pile of combustibles forty feet in height and covering acres of ground. The snow melted and the resinous boughs became dry early in May. Then fire was placed under the immense pile, and for a week or more the great bonfire continued to consume the logs and stumps, amid which in the soil mixed with the ashes, the corn and other crops were subsequently planted.

The dark day of October 21, 1716, occurred on Sunday, between eleven and

twelve o'clock in the forenoon when most of the people were attending religious services. At about eleven the outlines of objects could not be seen distinctly, and no one could see to read a word in the psalm book. Some ministers sent to the houses of the people that lived near for candles, others sat down and waited for the sky to clear, or the coming of the Lord to be announced. After a half hour of anxious suspense, light slowly returned, and the customary life went on.

Friday, May 19, 1780, will go down in history as "the dark day." In the morning the sun rose clear, but was soon overcast. The clouds became lowery, and from them, black and ominous, as they soon appeared, lightning flashed, thunder rolled and a little rain fell. Towards nine o'clock, the clouds became thinner, and assumed a brassy or coppery appearance, and earth, rocks, trees, buildings, water and persons were changed by this strange unearthly light. A few minutes later a heavy black cloud spread over the entire sky except a narrow rim at the horizon, and it was as dark as it usually is at nine o'clock on a summer evening. Some ladies in Ipswich were busy weaving that morning, and at this stage of the darkness were compelled to relinquish their labor.

Fear, anxiety and awe gradually filled the minds of the people. Women stood at the door looking out upon the dark landscape; men returned from their labor in the fields; the carpenter left his tools, the blacksmith his forge, the tradesman his counter. Schools were dismissed, and tremblingly the children fled homeward. Travellers put up at the nearest farmhouse. "What is coming?" queried every lip and heart. It seemed as if a hurricane was about to dash across the land, or as if it was the day of the consummation of all things.

Candles were used, and hearth-fires shone as brightly as on a moonless evening in autumn. At Haverhill, a person twenty rods away could not be seen, and one person could not be distinguished

from another in a room having three large windows.

Fowls retired to their roosts and went to sleep, cattle gathered at the pasture bars and lowed, frogs peeped, birds sang their evening songs and bats flew about. But the human knew that night had not come.

"Men prayed and women wept; all ears grew sharp

To hear the doom-blast of the trumpet shatter
The black sky, that the dreadful face of Christ
Might look from the rent clouds, not as he looked
A loving guest at Bethany, but stern
As Justice and inexorable Law."

In some places, excited persons ran about the streets shouting, "The day of judgment is at hand!" People asked forgiveness of each other for wrongs done to them. Others prayed for the first and last time. A number of sailors, with bravado, went noisily along the streets in Salem, crying out to the ladies they met, "Now you may off your rolls and high caps."

Dr. Nathaniel Whittaker, pastor of the Tabernacle church in Salem, held religious services in the meeting house, and preached a sermon in which he maintained that the darkness was supernatural. Congregations came together in many other places. The texts for the extemporaneous sermons were invariably those that seemed to indicate that the darkness was consonant with scriptural prophecy.* Devout fathers gathered their families around them in their homes and conducted religious services; and for a few hours Christians were stirred to activity, and non-professors earnestly sought for salvation, expecting

"To hear the thunder of the wrath of God
Break from the hollow trumpet of the cloud."

The darkness was most intense shortly after eleven o'clock. The afternoon was somewhat lighter, the brassy appearance of the morning returning just before sun-

set. The clouds then returned, and the evening was the darkest, probably, that the people of New England have ever experienced, though the moon was full and rose at nine. With the night the gloom and fear passed, and the sunlight of another day was never more welcomed.

Though the darkness extended over the central portions of New England, it was most dense in Essex county, this being the centre, probably, of the mass of clouds that retained the smoke in so uncommon a manner.

ANCIENT PERKINS PAPERS.

The lineage of George Perkins and Katherine his wife of Abbots Salford in the County of Warwick, yeoman.

Elizabeth eldest Daughter of Geo Perkins baptized.

Beatrice, Daughter of Geo. Perkins baptized.

Joanni, Daughter of Geo Perkins baptized May 14, 1571

Anne, Daughter of Geo Perkins baptized Feb. 28, 1573.

Thomas, Son of Geo. Perkins baptized Feb. 14, 1576

William, son of Geo Perkins baptized Jan. 1, 1579

Frances Daughter of Geo Perkins baptized April 23, 1583.

The Lineage of William Perkins of London merchant taylor by Katherine his first wife married May 22 1603, which Katherine deceased Sept. 18, 1618

Bathshua, his first born May 24, 1605

William, born August 25, 1607

John Perkins born January 1608.

Toby Perkins born March 1609

Sarah Perkins born on Low Sunday April 19, 1612.

Rebeckah Perkins born June 27, 1614.

Harington born March 30 1615.

And by Mary his second wife Daughter of mr. George Purchase of Thaxsted in the County of Essex being married March 30 1619, which Mary deceased Octob 29,

*Such texts as these were used: Is. xiii: 10; Ezek. xxxii: 7, 8; Joel, ii: 31; Math. xxiv: 29, 30; Rev. vi: 12.

1639, when she had been married 20 years & 7 months.

Harington Perkins born January 22 1619

Edward Perkins born January 18 1622, his fathers sixth son, his mothers sixth child, ergo Edw. the Sixth

Samuel Perkins born June 13, 1624

Elizabeth " " May 15, 1629
Ex autographo charissimi Patris. Manu. Edwardi ibidem nominati Febr. 16 1669-70.

The above is a true copy of an ancient manuscript carefully compared and recorded by me

Jacob Towne, jr., Town clerk.
Topsfield, Dec. 23, 1833.

The lineage of William Perkins of Topsfield in New England (Son of William Perkins of London merchant taylor) by Elizabeth Wootton his wife, whom he married at Roxbury Aug. 30th 1636.

William his first born the 12th of October 1639, who died the 23^d of December the same year & had been baptized by Mr Welde of Roxbury.

William Perkins the second son born Feb. 26, 1640, baptized at Roxbury, I being then in England

Elizabeth, my first daughter born at Waymouth June 18, 1643, baptized by mr Newman.

Tobijah Perkins born at Waymouth October 20th 1646, baptized by mr Thatcher, I being then the second time in England

Katharine, born at Waymouth October 29, 1648, baptized by mr. Thatcher.

Mary, born at Gloster, Febr. 17 1651, baptized by my ministry.

John born at Topsfield, April 2^d, 1655, baptized by mr Norton, at Ipswich, after Mr. Rogers, his death.

Sarah born at Topfield March 2^d 1656-57 baptized by mr Cobbet

Timothy born at Topsfield Aug. 11, 1658, baptized by mr Cobbet

Rebecca born at Topsfield May 4th 1662 baptized by mr Hubbard.

John Baker eldest son of mr [John] Baker of Ipswich in New England, May 13, 1667, with consent of parents on both sides took to wife Katherine my second daughter, the first which the merciful Providence of God, gave me opportunity to be disposed of in marriage. This marriage was accompanied with a daughter, dead born 15 months after their marriage, and with the birth of a second daughter named Elizabeth born the last of march or beginning of April Anno 1670, I being in England, and with a son named John, I being in England after their marriage

William my second son married Elizabeth Clarke daughter to Daniel Clarke of Topsfield, October 24, 1669, with consent of parents on both sides and before my return from England, was blest with a daughter named Elizabeth and, before my return the second time after their marriage with a daughter Mary and a son William at two births

Elizabeth my eldest and first daughter was by Major Hathorn of and at Salem the last day of May 1671, married to John Ramsdell of Lynn, with consent of parents on both sides, and had her marriage blest while I was in England with her first daughter named Elizabeth, and after my second return from thence with a second daughter named Mary born the 26th of January 1674, all which children were baptized. God grant them the baptism of his Spirit also.

Mr Oliver Purchis, September 17, anno 1672 married Mary Perkins my third daughter, the Lord in mercy favour it with his blessing.

mr John Bradstreet, June 11, 1677 married Sarah Perkins my fourth daughter with the free consent and appointment of his father Symond Bradstreet Esq. by the ministry of his uncle Major General Dennison.

Thomas Fiske, son to Capt. Fiske of Wenham, married Rebeckah Perkins, my fifth and youngest daughter the 3^d of November 1678 The Lord bless it to us all.

Tobijah Perkins, my second son took to wife Sarah Dennison, the 4th of November 1680, with the consent of both their parents at Major General Dennison's house. The Lord build them up and provide for the two younger sons also

Topsfield, Dec. 25, 1833.

The foregoing is a true copy of an ancient manuscript that appears to be in the handwriting of the Rev. William Perkins, who died at Topsfield May 21, 1682.

Jacob Towne, jr., Town Clerk.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT BURYING GROUND.

Continued from page 42.

Andrew Ober son
to Sam^l & Elifabeth
Ober who died
Decembr the 5th
1731 in y^e 10th
year of his
Age.

IN Memory of

Mrs. Anna Obear, wife
of Mr. Josiah Obear, who
died Sep^t 14th 1795, in the
31st year of her age.

She was a kind, loving & prudent
wife, & tender parent.

*Death like a dart has past my heart,
In the middle of my time;
Go home dear friends & do not weep
'Tis God's appointed time.*

HERE LYES y^e
BODY OF M^r
HEZEKIAH OBER
AGED 58 YEARS
DEC^r NOV^r 26,
1739.

Israel son of John Ober
By Hannah his Wife
Aged About 3(—?)
years And 3 Months
Decest the 12th
Day of December

1734.

IN Memory of
Cap^t. James Obear,
who died March 3^d
1790; In the 61st year
of his Age.

*Come look on me, as you pass by,
As you are now so once was I,
As I am now so you must be,
Prepare for death & follow me.*

IN Memory of
M^{RS} JOANNA OBER, wife
of CAP^T EZRA OBER,
who departed this life
March 31st 1786;
Aged 36 years.

*(tear
If ever wife from husband claim'd a
None e'er deserv'd it more than did my dear.
For virtue prudence & industrious ways
Were found in her, to merit love & praise.*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^R IOHN OBER
WHO DIED MAY
29th 1744 AGED
71^{ON} YEARS WANTED
2 DAYS.

Here lyeth y^e body of
Nicholas Ober who
died y^e 9th of June
1730 in y^e 44th
Year of his Age.

Also Sarah dauter of Nicholas
and Abigail Ober who
died 1715 Aged 7 mons.

IN Memory of
M^R PETER OBER,
who departed this
Life March 9th
1785: In the 78th
year of his age.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^R RICHARD OBER
AGED 74 YEARS
DIED MARCH Y^e

1716.

IN Memory of
M^R RICHARD OBER,
who departed this
Life Novem^r 11th
1 7 8 7;
Aged 71 years.

Here lyeth y^e body
of M^r Samuel Ober
who died y^e 6th of Sep^{tr}
1725 in y^e 33^d year
o f h i s A g e

HERE lie depofited
the Remains of M^R
WILLIAM OBER Jun^r only
*fon of M^r WILLIAM &
M^{rs} BETHIAH OBER, who*
March 19th
1784; In the 29th
year of his age.

Here lyes y^e bod^y
of Abigail Parce
Who died Janu^y
the 10th 1728
Aged 27 years

HERE LYES
Y^e BODY OF
ELIZABETH
PATCH WHO
DIED IAN^{RY} 15th
1 7 1 5 A^D 8 5
YEA^S

IN Memory of
William Phelps,
fon of M^R HENRY &
M^{RS} HANNAH PHELPS,
who died May 4th
1 7 7 8
Aged 5 years &
11 days.

Here lies y^e Body of
M^{RS} MARY PRESSON
wife of M^r STEPHEN
PRESSON who Died
Nov^r 24th 1 7 5 8
In y^e 25th Year
o f h e r A g e.

Here lies y^e Body of
M^r STEPHEN PRESSON
who Died Decem^{br}
t h e 2 3^d 1 7 5 8
In the 28th Year
o f h i s A g e.

In Memory of
Mifs JOANNA PRICE
*Daught. of Mr. Joseph & Mrs.
Joanna Price who died*
June 23^d 1796.
in the 9th Year
of her age.

*Jesus the anointed faith confirms
To our great father given
He takes young children to his arms
And calls them heirs of heaven
Tis heavenly love prepares the soul
And calls her to the skies
Where years of long salvation roll
And glory never dies.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hannah Pride.
wife of
Mr. Peter Pride.
who died June 19th
1791: in the 73^d
year of her age.

IN Memory of
MR. PETER PRIDE,
who departed this Life
Feb^y 14th 1796.
in the 83^d year of
his age.

IN Memory of Mifs
HANNAH RAYMOND,
Daughter of
Mr JOSEPH & Mrs
HANNAH RAYMOND,
who died April 1st
1789. In the 19th
year of her age.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} ANNA REA
WIFE OF M^r
JOHN REA.
AGED 45 YEARS
DIED SEP^R 7th
1751.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
JOHN REA
DIED MARCH 19th
1750,
IN THE 49 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

IN Memory of
Mrs. LUCY REA, *wife of*
Mr. JOSEPH REA, *jun^r* who
departed this Life
Oct^r 10th 1783. Æt. 21.

*Youth is no armour against death
No more then hoary head:
We all must yield our vital breath
To lie among the dead.*

Here Lyes the Body of
M^r William Rea Who
Died October 10th 1771
in the 22^d Year
of his Age

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
BENJAMIN ROUNDY
AGED 54 YEARS
2 M^O & 18 DAYS
DIED MARCH 7th
1753.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} SARA H
THE WIFE OF
M^r ROBERT
ROUNDY. WHO
DEPARTED THIS
LIFE MAY 15th
1748 IN Y^e
27th YEAR OF
HER AGE

Here Lyes the Body
of M^{rs} Anna the wife
of M^r Jonathan Smith
who Departed this life
August 26 1767
in the 24th Year of her Age.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
ELISABETH THE
WIFE OF M^r
SAMUEL SMITH
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE JANUAR^y
19th 1745 IN Y^e 50th
YEAR OF HER AGE

IN Memory of M^{rs}
ELISABETH SMITH,
wife of M^r JOB SMITH
& *Daughter of Deacon*
JOSEPH FOSTER, who died
Feb^r 7th 1782; Aged 33

IN Memory of
M^{rs} EUNICE SMITH,
wife of
M^r FRANCIS SMITH,
who died Sep^t 4th
1783: In the 45th year
of her age.

*This is the end of all men,
Women and children too;
What can we say this is the way
We all must travel through.*

M^r Jonathan Smith
1773*

*Footstone.


IN Memory of
M^{RS} LYDIA SMITH Relict
of M^R ROBERT SMITH and
Daughter of Deacon
JOSEPH FOSTER,
who died Jan^r 25th 1788 :
Aged 31 years.

*Here all who knew the sweetnefs of her mind
To friendship formed, by virtuous love refin'd,
Will drop a tear—will heave a tender figh
And mourn that friendship fuch as her's must die,
Here reft her afhes but the hour fhall come
When ye arch angel's Trump fhall fhake y^e tomb
Then fhall the Tyrants conqueft be in vain
While ſhe exulting leaves his dark domain.*

Here lyeth y^e
Body of Mary y^e
Daugh^h of James &
Sarah Smith who
Died July 29th
1736 Aged 9 years

IN Memory of
NABY SMITH,
Daug^t of M^r ISAAC
& M^{RS} SUSANNA
SMITH; who died
Oct^r 27th 1786;
Aged 3 months

HERE LYES THE
BODY OF M^r
SAMUEL SMITH
AGED 51 YEARS
DIED APRIL Y^e 28;
I 7 4 4.

M^R ISAAC SPOFFORD  *
Practitioner in Phyfic and
Surgery,
Obiit Aetatis 35 June 14th
AD. 1786.

Candidus, infuctum miratus limen Olimpi,
Sub pedibusque videt nubes & fidera Daphnis

*This points to the stone next given.

Near this place lye the remains
of M^{RS} MARY SPOFFORD
late CONSORT,
to ISAAC SPOFFORD, Phyfician
Deceas'd 6th Dece^r 1781.
Æ; 25.

*Unblemish'd innocence! ingenuous truth,
Religion pure, & rational, & mild!
Engaging manners! charity! & all the
Affections that embellish & exalt
The human heart.*

| | |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| SALLY SPOFFORD, | J. CHANDLER SPOFFORD |
| * as'd 17 th Novr | Deceas'd 6 th J |
| 1781. | 1783. |
| * 5 Months. | Æ: 3½ Years. |

NEAR this place
lie the remains of
M^{RS} RUTH SPOFFORD,
Confort of the late
DOC^r ISAAC SPOFFORD,
who died Sept 7th 1790.
In the 30th year
of her age.

Here Lyes the Body
of M^{RS} Abigail Stephens
wife of Iohn Stephens
who died December, 6
1770
In the 76 Year
of her Age.

Here lies buried
the Body of
M^r JOHN STEPHENS
who Died Feb^{ry} 16th
1778.
in the 95th Year
of his age.

Here lyes y^e Body §
M^{RS} Ann §
to J^f § Stone
Who died Iune y^e
6 in y^e 28th year of
her Age 1727

*Broken off.
§Worn off.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} HANNAH STONE
WIDOW WHO DIED
FEBRUARY 9th 1746
IN THE 79^t YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF JANE STONE y^e
DAUT OF ZACHARY
& JANE STONE WHO
DIED NOVEM^R y^e
7th 1718 AGED 2
YEARS & 7 M^o

Here Lyeth the
Body of M^r John
Stone Who died
July y^e 28 1736 in
His 76th year

Here lies buried y^e Body of
M^r JOHN STONE
who Departed this Life
December the 27th
1754
In the 27th Year
of his Age.

ROBERT STONE
SON TO M^r ROBERT
& M^{rs} ELIZth STONE
AGED 18 YEARS &
2 Y^o DIED DEC^r
y^e 7th 1743.

HERE LYES THE
BODY OF M^r
ROBERT STONE
AGED 56 YEARS
WHO DEPARTED THIS
LIFE AUGUST Y^e 6th
1744.

HERE LYES BURIED
y^e BODY OF M^r
ZACHARIAH STONE
AGED 49 YEARS &
28 DAYES DEC^d
JUNE y^e 20th 1734

Here Lyeth y^e body
of Zechariah Stone
Jun^r died Nov^{mr} y^e
8th 1730 Aged
22 years

Here Lyes, the Body
of M^r James Thissel
who Died Novem^r 10
1773
Aged 50 Years.

In Memory of
Mifs ABIGAIL THISTLE
Daug^r of M^R JAMES &
M^{RS} MARGARET THISTLE
who died Nov^r 18th
1783: In the 25th year
of her age.

(young)
*The grave's a place for old &
For all are born to die; (Stand
And in the Judgement they must
So surely as I.*

In Memory of
Mrs. Abigail Thorndike
wife of Cap^t
Nicholas Thorndike,
who died Oct^r 18th 1795
In the 56th year of
her age.

*Father, I give my spirit up,
And trust it in thy hand:
My dying flesh shall rest in hope
And rise at thy command.*

In Memory of Mifs
BETTY THORNDIKE,
Daughter of COL^N
LARKIN & M^{RS} RUTH
THORNDIKE, who
died Aug^t 1765
Aged 13 years.

In Memory of M^{RS}
ELISABETH THORNDIKE,
wife of M^R
JOHN THORNDIKE,
who departed this
Life January 15th 1750:
Aged 46 years.

IN Memory of
M^{rs} HULDAH THORNDIK^E

Confort of
Col^o LARKIN THORNDIKE
& daug^r of

Major JOHN LEACH,
who departed this life
Aug^t 21th 1790: In
the 50th year of her age.

*Happy exchange, to part with all
below*

*For worlds of blifs, where joys
unceasing flow.*

To be continued.

HAVERHILL CAPTIVES.

The following is a copy of a paper found among the State papers.—*Frank A. Hutchinson, Chelsea, Mass.*

haverhill date Apriel 17: 1701
the names of the captiues that were taken by the indins from haverhill: with the time of their being taken and agge when taken of such as are yet wanting
daniel bradly taken March: 15: 1697
agged seuen yeers
Jonathan: and Joseph hains taken August 15, 1696 Jonathan agged twelve and Joseph seuen yers
Abigall kimball taken march 15: 1697
agged eight yers
Abraham Whittier taken August: 1697*
agged 8 or nine yeres
philix Cod taken March 15: 1697 agged about six yeres
—*Massachusetts Archives, volume LXX, leaf 522.*

WILL OF GILES BADGER.

The will of Giles Badger of Newbury was proved in the Ipswich court 28: 7: 1647. The following copy is taken from the record contained in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 33, the original being missing.

The 29th day of June in the yeare of our Lord 1647 I Giles Badger of Newbury being fick in body but of pfect

*This figure has been gone over a second time with a pen and looks as represented above; but I cannot say whether it was intended for 1 or 7.
—*F. A. H.*

memory thankes be given to god And I doe ordaine & make my laft will & Testam^t in mann & forme as followeth first I give & bequeath my soule to god & my body to the earth to be buried in hope to be raifed againe in the resurreccion by Jesus Chrift my faviour secondly I give & bequeath to my wife two parts of my estate if she remaine vnmarried & my will is that my child should have one part the which part my will is should be paid to my sonne when he is 18 yeares of age the benefitt of it to be improved for bringing vp vntill he be 18 yeares of age Likewise my will is that if my wife doe marry againe that then my wife shall have the one halfe & my sonne the other halfe to be paid to him when he is 18 yeares of age and foe likewise the benefit of it to be improved for his maintenance. Likewise I doe desire my christian frends my father Greenleff Daniel Perce & Henry Short & Richard Knight to diuide my estate betweene my wife & child.

wittnes

Richard Knight

william Ilesley

Henry Sumerbe.

Giles Badger

WILL OF JANE GAINES.

The nuncupative will of widow Jane Gaines of Lynn cannot be found. It was proved 10: 5 mo: 1645; and the reference to it in the Salem quarterly court records, 2 mo: 1649, in connection with the division of her estate is all that has been learned as to its contents. She left three children, John, Daniel and Samuel, and an estate of £37 11s. 10d. John, the eldest son, aged about thirteen years, is to have £19 12s. 8d. in possession of Mr. Thomas Leighton and Nathaniel Handforth who are to improve it for him; and he is apprenticed to Francis Dowse of Boston, shoemaker, for seven years, to learn the shoemaker's trade. Daniel, the second son, aged about eleven years, is to have £9 16s. 4d. in the hands of said Leighton and Handforth; and he is apprenticed to Luke Potter of Concord for

eight years from 1 : 6 mo : last, to learn the trade of a tailor, etc. Samuel, the youngest son, aged six or seven years, is to have £9 16s. 4d.; and he is apprenticed, until he is twenty-one years old, to Nathaniel Handforth, who is to educate him, etc. If either die, the others are to have his share. If Samuel dies within four years, a part of his share is to go to Mr. Handforth.

NOTES.

Daniel Adams (No. 265, page 78, *Antiquarian*, volume II.) married Elizabeth Colley. He also had daughters Mary and Hannah.—*Raymond M. Adams, South Byfield.*

The family bible of Henry Adams (No. 261, page 78, *Antiquarian*, volume II), which is in the possession of his granddaughter, Mrs. Edward Osgood of Newburyport, gives the list of his children as follows: By first wife: Alice, born May 22, 1768; died Dec. 20, 1811; Judith, born Feb. 3, 1770; died Jan. 3, 1793; Phebe, born Sept. 2, 1772; died, 1795; Henry, born Dec. 21, 1774; died Dec. 13, 1813; Sarah, born Feb. 13, 1776; died March—, 1856; Esther, born July 22, 1779; John, born Aug. 19, 1781; Joseph, born Aug. 12, 1783; died Dec. 14, 1863. By second wife: Anna, born Sept. 9, 1787; died Oct. 26, 1788; Polly, Jan. 6, 1789; Abraham, born Sept. 8, 1791; died Oct. 25, 1863. By third wife: Hannah, born Feb. 25, 1800; died Nov. 28, 1857; Lydia, born Oct. 18, 1802; died Nov. 19, 1881.—*Emma M. Lander, Newburyport.*

Hannah (Thurston), wife of Capt. John Adams (No. 182, page 76, *Antiquarian*, volume II), died Jan. 22, 1775, aged thirty-one. Their son Joseph died June 22, 1776, aged two years and one month.—*Brown Thurston, Portland, Me.*

Rachael Adams married Nathaniel Potter Jan. 5, 1777.

Judith Adams of Ipswich married William Brown of Wenham May 10, 1787.

Anna Adams married Samuel Lamson Nov. 8, 1789.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Joseph Adams of Marblehead, fisherman, in 1704 and 1707.

Stephen Adams of Ipswich, mariner, buys land and buildings in Ipswich in 1784.

Stephen Adams of Ipswich, yeoman, sells land and buildings in Ipswich in 1789, wife Mehitable. They were of Ipswich in 1790.

William Adams of Beverly, shipwright, 1788 and 1793.

Nehemiah Adams of Salem, cabinet-maker, buys store, etc., by the common in Salem in 1796. Wife Rebecca.

Richard Adams of Newburyport, mariner, and wife Elizabeth, 1796.

Cleaves Adams of Amesbury and Joseph Adams of Salisbury were of the committee of the Presbyterian Society in Amesbury to buy land for the site of its meeting house in Amesbury in 1784.

Benjamin Adams of Newburyport, house-wright, 1798.

John Adams 3d, of Andover, yeoman, 1798.

Asa Adams of Newbury, yeoman, and wife Dolly, in 1799.

Mary Adams, widow, Henry Lane, fisherman, and his wife Mary (in her right), all of Marblehead, sell land in 1799.

John Adams of Marblehead, laborer, and wife Sarah, in 1741-2.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Alice Adams married Enoch Boynton, both of Newbury, April 25, 1799.—*Newbury town records.*

Capt. Thomas Adams lived in Newburyport; mariner; administration granted on his estate Nov. 7, 1796; wife Alice survived him, and married, secondly, Thomas Stickney of Newbury (published Sept. 1, 1798); children: Thomas, born May 11, 1790; James, born Jan. 28, 1794.—*Newburyport town records and probate records.*

Israel, son of Joseph, jr., and Anne Adams, born July 19, 1726.

Elizabeth, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth Adams, born Jan. 5, 1745.

Archelaus Adams married Dorothy Clements, both of Newbury, Aug. 26, 1741.

Mary Adams of Newbury married Nathaniel Clement, resident in Newbury, March 27, 1751.

Mary Adams married Benjamin Jaques of Newbury March 25, 1760.

Elizabeth Adams of Newbury published to Nathaniel Brown of Londonderry, N. H., May 19, 1781.

Daniel Adams published to Jane Somerby, both of Newbury, May 15, 1784.

Sarah Adams, married Thomas Worthen, both of Newbury, Feb. 11, 1786.

Elizabeth Adams of Newbury published to John Rowe of Gloucester Feb. 18, 1791.

Sarah Adams of Newbury married Dudley Brown of Kensington Jan. 13, 1795.

Esther Adams married Moses Goodwin, both of Newbury, June (?) 19 (published July 1), 1797.

David Adams of Newbury married Lydia Wheeler of Rowley March 1, 1798.

—*Newbury town records.*

John Adams married Jane——, and was an original member of the Congregational church in Georgetown (then West parish of Rowley) Oct. 4, 1732; their son Noyes born June 21, 1731.

John Adams married Mary Brocklebank, both of Rowley, Aug. 3, 1748.

Sarah Adams married David Brocklebank, both of Rowley, May 17, 1749.

Hannah Adams of Rowley married Noyes Pearson of Newbury Aug. 28, 1764; and lived in Rowley, where she died, of fever, March 24, 1822, aged seventy-five; and he died July 25, 1805.

Abigail Adams published to Moses Tenney, both of Rowley, Nov. 9, 1771.

Polly Adams married Silas Plummer, both of Rowley, Feb. 5, 1784.

Polly, daughter of Abraham and Sarah Adams, born Oct. 5, 1790.

—*Rowley town records.*

Betty Adams of Salisbury married Levi (Lewis?) Lowell of Amesbury Oct. 29, 1789.

Betty Adams of Salisbury married Stephen Gale of Amesbury June 15, 1794.

Elizabeth, daughter of Archelaus Adams, died Sept. 25, 1723.

—*Salisbury town records.*

William Adams,¹ born in Boston May 19, 1745; was of Beverly, shipwright, in 1792, and died Oct. 17, 1815. He married Mary Porter (born, Wenham, 1745; died Apr. 4, 1828). Children, born in Beverly, except the first: 1. *William*,² born March 14, 1770, in Marblehead; died July 21, 1848; married Nancy Rowe Jan. 10, 1792; children born in Beverly: William,³ born June 17, 1792; Nancy³, born Feb. 8, 1794; Mary³, born Oct. 26, 1797; Charlotte,³ born March 15, 1800. 2. *John*,² born July 26, 1774; married Mary Ives of Beverly Feb. 11, 1798; children, born in Beverly: Mary³, born Dec. 22, 1798; married John Kirby; Eliz.,³ born Nov. 25, 1800; married Joseph Henderson of Salem; Augusta³, born Dec. 7, 1802; married Henry Cobb, of Lynn. 3. *Mary*,² born Jan. 29, 1776. 4. *Charles*,² born Jan. 3, 1778; died Oct. 4, 1828; married, first, Lois Herrick Aug. 8, 1797; secondly, Abigail (Hilton), widow of Nehemiah Driver, of Manchester, about 1805; children, born in Beverly: Charles³, born Aug. 17, 1797; Alford³, born July 30, 1799; Thomas³, born Dec. 5, 1801; John³, born March 9, 1806; Ezekiel Leach³, born March 23, 1808; Louisa³, born Feb. 4, 1810; married Alvah Woodberry Sept. 14, 1839; Charlotte³, born July 3, 1812; Mary Kimball³, born Nov. 21, 1814; married Francis Haskell of Essex April 23, 1840. 5. *Thomas*,² born Aug. 16, 1779. 6. *Peter*,² born in 1782; died in 1787. 7. *Charlotte*,² born in 1784; died in 1804.—*Beverly town records; etc.*

Micajah Adams married Elizabeth Newhall Oct. 15, 1761.

Rebecca, wife of Rev. Benjamin Adams (49), died Aug. 22, 1776, aged forty-two.

Elizabeth Adams (147) married Joseph Bullard Nov. 7, 1784.

Dr. Benjamin Adams (146) married Miss Lois Orne March 9, 1788.

Children of Dr. Benjamin Adams: Edward Augustus (320), died March 18, 1796, aged two; and Edward (321), died Feb. 4, 1797, aged a few weeks.

—*Lynnfield church records.*

"SALEM, November 8.

"Capt. Israel Dodge arrived here Yesterday, in 26 Days, from St. Eustatia; he failed in Company with Capt. Hodges, of this Town, who arrived here last Saturday, and Capt. Bubiére of Marblehead. They parted the next Day after they failed. * * On the first Instant, in Lat. 42, 40, Long. 67, spoke with a Whaling Sloop belonging to Rhode-Island, from the Western-Islands, Strange, Master, out 62 Days, and took out of him Capt. Bubiére (who failed with Captain Dodge) and several of his People, whose Vessel foundered at Sea on the 28th of October, when they took to their Boat, and on the 30th they met with the above Whaling Sloop, who took them up, and on the 1st Instant fell in with Capt. Dodge as above."—*Essex Gazette*, Nov. 1-8, 1768.

GLOUCESTER IN 1857.

The frontispiece in this number is a reduced reproduction of a large wood engraving in Ballou's Pictorial Drawing Room Companion, published in 1857. It is a profile view of the town of Gloucester at that time.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

203. Wanted, the ancestry of Elizabeth Clement who married Joseph Haynes of Haverhill, Mass., in 1734. M. A. F.
Arlington.

204. The *Antiquarian*, volume II, page 56, says, Jane Searl was baptized Oct. 22, 1727. Was she the same mentioned in Blood's Temple, N. H., page 245, as born Oct. 18, 1727? And was it she who married Jeremiah Jewett of Rowley Nov. 26, 1747? Give authorities.
E. D. KIMBALL.

Wichita, Kan.

205. Wanted, the parents of Benjamin Thompson, who married Mary Thompson in Kingston, N. H., 1759. Where did Benjamin Thompson enlist

from in 1776, sent to Fort Washington. 1777 "N. H. R. Rolls" not able to march to Ticonderoga but on board the "Raleigh." What became of him? and is he this same Benjamin Thompson?

Portsmouth, N. H.

H. W. P.

206. Wanted, the ancestry of John Sawyer who married Elizabeth Robinson, born about 1700.

F. D. SAWYER.

Otisfield Gore, Me.

207. Wanted, parentage of Samuel Andrews, born Londonderry (?), 1771.

F. D. S.

208. I have an old chart mentioning as the head of the Quinby or Quinby family one Goodman Quymbye about 1610. Was this the emigrant from London or Farnham, or was it Robert who came over from England with one Scudder? What of their children? Goodman Quinby probably landed in Salem about 1630 or 1635, as his son William or Robert left Wethersfield, Conn., in 1639 and settled in Stratford, Conn. I would like any early information about the Quimbys or Quinbys.

I. Q. G.

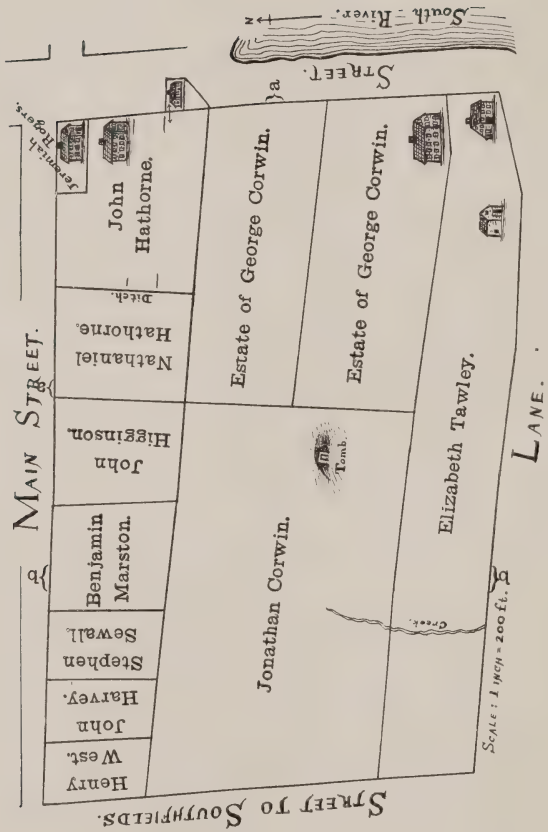
Butler, N. J.

ANSWERS.

108. Ruth Whittier, born July 31, 1701, was daughter of Joseph and Mary (Peaslee) Whittier; and Joseph Whittier, born May 8, 1669, was son of Thomas and Ruth (Green) Whittier. Mrs. Ruth (Whittier) Greeley died Dec. 4, 1745.—*Mrs. Ellen M. Little, Newbury.*

195. The ancestor of the Blaney family in America was John, of Lynn. He was first in Salem in 1659, aged twenty-nine. He married Hannah, daughter of Daniel King, of Lynn, July 11, 1660. Another John Blaney was in Charlestown, but I think the male line of that John has died out. The records of the Lynn family can be found in Lynn, Marblehead, Salem, and Malden, Mass. Part of the family went to Roxbury and from there to Bristol, Me.—*Mrs. George Parkinson, Cincinnati, Ohio.*

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PART OF SALEM IN 1700. NO. 2.

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PART OF SALEM IN 1700. NO. 2.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

THE frontispiece is a map of that section of Salem which is bounded by Washington, Essex, Summer and Norman streets. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all the houses that were standing in 1700. The braces marked "a" show where Barton square now runs, and those marked "b" where Crombie street runs. Barton square was laid out by Samuel Barton in 1797, and Crombie street, as a court from Essex street about three-fourths of its present length, by Benjamin Crombie in 1805, being cut through to Norman street a score of years later.

Washington street in 1659 ran down to the Corwin land, about where the post-office stands, the Corwin land then being bounded easterly on the river. It was called a street in 1659, 1691 and 1714, and a country road in 1681. It was first called Street from town house to southfields in 1759; Street from court house to southfields in 1762; Street leading from town house to Marblehead in 1768; Highway from court house to Marblehead in 1773; Street leading to Marblehead in 1782; and Washington street in 1792.

Essex street was called a lane in 1659, and a country road in 1681. It was first called Main, or the main street in 1699; Queen's highway in 1711; Paved street in 1790; and Essex street in 1802. In 1711 the western end was widened twelve feet on the southern side.*

Summer street was called a highway in 1659, and Street to southfields in 1699. It

was first called Street, highway or road leading to Marblehead in 1711; Street to ye almshouse in 1746; Highway to the mills in 1755; Street from Main street to workhouse in 1762; Street from town pump to Marblehead in 1791; and Summer street in 1800.

Norman street was opened in 165— as a lane obstructed by bars. It was known in 1711 as the Highway that goes by John Norman's, and was first called Norman's lane that year. In 1768 it was called Street leading from town house to Marblehead; and Road from court house to Marblehead in 1792. It was first called Norman street in 1792.

In the sketches which follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and the land under and immediately adjacent thereto, and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after 1700, to give the history of the houses principally.

Elizabeth Tawley House. The house and lot of Mrs. Elizabeth Tawley was originally the estate of Dr. George Emery, an early surgeon of Salem. He was living in Salem in 1637, owned this land in 1652, and lived in this house as early as 1657.

May 1, 1677, in consideration of good will, he conveyed the house and lot to his kinswoman Elizabeth Tawley and her husband John Tawley, a mariner, the conveyance being made upon the condition that they maintain him during the remainder of his life.*

John Tawley died in 1690, and his widow Elizabeth and only child Elizabeth

*Essex Registry of Deeds book 23, leaf 218.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 156.

continued to live there. The daughter married Samuel Ruck before 1700, and they lived in this house, the widow Tawley boarding with them after 1703. A bedroom and pantry were added in the rear of the house when this change in the family occurred.

April 21, 1708, Samuel Ruck conveyed his wife's half interest in the premises to Mrs. Tawley*; and, Oct. 31, 1709, Mrs. Tawley conveyed the same interest to James Ruck, for £200.† This interest of James Ruck probably ultimately came into the ownership of Samuel Ruck, Mrs. Tawley's son-in-law, who, June 6, 1728, conveyed it to his children, Samuel Ruck, jr., of Salem, shipwright, John Daniels of Boston, ropemaker, and his wife Elizabeth, and Abigail Ruck of Salem, spinster, the mother of the children being dead, and, also, probably, the daughter Ruth, who is not mentioned in this deed.§

Jan. 26, 1711, Mrs. Tawley conveyed her other half interest in the land and buildings to her daughter's four children, Elizabeth, Ruth, Samuel, and Abigail Ruck.|| Mrs. Tawley died in the winter of 1713-4, having, in her will, confirmed the conveyance to her grandchildren.

The granddaughters, Elizabeth Daniels and Abigail Ruck, released the house and land under and adjoining the same to their brother Samuel, who was a carpenter, March 30, 1730.‡ On the same day Samuel and Elizabeth released to Abigail the barn and land under and adjoining it.¶

Thus the whole title to the house and eastern end of the lot came into the ownership of Samuel Ruck.

On Christmas day, 1760, Mr. Ruck conveyed the southern half of the house and that portion of the lot to Jonathan Mansfield of Salem, blacksmith, the division line running through the front door and chimney, and the front door to be

used in common, etc., "as long as said house shall be habitable."* This expression indicates that the house was then old. In this deed, the leanto on the back side of the house was reserved, with liberty to remove it within six months. Mr. Ruck called it "my mansion house." The part of the house conveyed was the original house of Dr. Emery.

The northern part of this "double house" remained the property of Mr. Ruck until his death, in the spring of 1769. His administrator conveyed it to Henry Rust, cabinet-maker, Jan. 22, 1771; and the next day he conveyed it to Joseph Blaney, esq., of Salem, who, in turn, sold it to widow Sarah Collins of Salem April 22, 1777. Toward the end of the century it belonged to the estate of Hannah Taylor, deceased. Polly Collins, probably an heir of Sarah Collins, or Hannah Taylor, or both, married Nathaniel Cummings of Salem, blacksmith, Oct. 18, 1792. She and her husband conveyed their one-fourth interest in this part of the house and land to Joel Bowker of Salem, blacksmith, Sept. 12, 1797, the tenement being then occupied by the widow Williamson. Mr. Bowker sold this interest to George Smith of Salem, trader, Feb. 14, 1816; and Mr. Smith conveyed it to his son-in-law Thomas Frye Nov. 1, 1826. Mr. Frye sold it to Daniel B. Gardner, trader, and Joseph Gardner, 3d, innholder, both of Salem, Oct. 2, 1847.

After his purchase of the ancient house, as already mentioned, to the westward of this house, and upon the higher ground, Mr. Mansfield erected a residence for himself. This is the house in the old colonial style, that is now standing. It was built between 1760 and 1768.

To the west side of the original house, Mr. Mansfield erected a building in which were constructed two tenements; and after that time this end of the old house, with the addition, was called "the long house."

Mr. Mansfield died in the spring of 1791, having devised the long house to his

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 131.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 133.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 51, leaf 54.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 128.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 56, leaf 222.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 56, leaf 238.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 109, leaf 80.

four sons, Benjamin Bream, Ellis, Henry and Benjamin Mansfield.

Benjamin Bream Mansfield, cabinet-maker, conveyed his interest in the premises to his brother Ellis Mansfield Dec. 18, 1792;* and, on the next day, Ellis conveyed the interest he had bought and also his own to Samuel Putnam,† who was administrator of their father's estate.

The western end, or tenement, of the long house was conveyed by Ellis and Benjamin Mansfield to Henry Mansfield April 13, 1793; and Henry Mansfield conveyed it to George Smith Feb. 3, 1800.

his daughter Mary, wife of Thomas Frye Dec. 13, 1830, and they sold it to the Gardners, already mentioned, Oct. 2, 1847.

In 1769, Mr. Mansfield's end of the original house was occupied by his sons Jonathan and Amos Mansfield and Josiah Howard; in 1793 and 1796 by Joseph Ayers and Ezekiel Goldthwait; and in 1797 by the widow Ayers and Ezekiel Goldthwait.

Aug. 8, 1793, the administrator of the estate of Mr. Mansfield conveyed this part of the house to John Norris.* Mr. Norris, who was a merchant of Salem, conveyed



HOUSE OF ELIZABETH TAWLEY.

Mr. Smith died in 184-, having devised the tenement to his wife Dorcas, who survived him and conveyed it to the Gardners, already mentioned, Oct. 11, 1847.

The middle tenement of the long house was occupied in 1793 and 1796 by Joseph Mansfield, and conveyed by the administrator of the estate of Jonathan Mansfield to Thomas Bancroft, esq., of Salem, Aug. 25, 1796. On the same day Mr. Bancroft conveyed the tenement to Samuel Putnam, who sold it to George Smith Jan. 12, 1801. Mr. Smith conveyed it to

it to James Fuller and Joel Bowker, both of Salem, blacksmiths, Dec. 22, 1796.† Oct. 12, 1797, Mr. Fuller released his interest in the premises to Mr. Bowker.§ For five hundred dollars the latter sold the tenement to George Smith Feb. 14, 1816.|| Nov. 1, 1826, Mr. Smith conveyed it to his son-in-law Thomas Frye,‡ who sold it

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 157, leaf 19.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 161, leaf 106.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 162, leaf 249.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 209, leaf 19.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 243, leaf 274.

William Lawrence Sluman, a minor, had a one-half interest in the double house, which was conveyed to Thomas Frye Oct. 15, 1830.—*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 258, leaf 246.*

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 155, leaf 146.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 155, leaf 147.

to the Gardners, already mentioned, Oct. 2, 1847.*

When the railroad was extended in 1847, it was found necessary to cut off a part of the ancient house; and at that time the Gardners purchased the entire estate, raising the corner portion of the building, probably at that time, and constructing the first story of brick

In the accompanying engraving the ancient house is that part of the structure which is on the corner, comprising the present second and third stories, and extending on either street as far as the projections in the building. The upper part has been burned away, and is now different from what it was years ago.

Upon the purchase of the premises, which was then known as "The Frye estate," the Gardners immediately transformed it into a hotel, which the proprietors called the "Railroad House," and put it in charge of Edward Stearns, who had come from Lowell. It was opened to the public on Monday, Jan. 31, 1848. It contained a considerable number of rooms for guests; though the principal object of the proprietors was to accommodate railroad travellers with meals. In speaking of the new place the week before it was opened, a local paper said, "Their saloon and sitting room, on the lower floor, are very spacious and elegant, with marble-topped tables and counters, French landscape paper hangings, splendid mirrors, &c." Liquors were dispensed freely, and the room devoted to gambling, being the corner room in the third story, was in constant use. The place became notorious throughout the region. The estate is still owned by the heirs of the Gardners, few of the rooms being occupied. Here P. S. Gilmore, as the leader of the Salem brass band, began his famous career, the band room remaining as it was when he occupied it some thirty years ago.

Estate of George Corwin House, and Estate of George Corwin and Jonathan Corwin Lots. These three lots contained

four acres, and were a pasture belonging to Rev. Hugh Peter, the pastor of the First church in Salem, and subsequently a regicide, early in the settlement, probably having been granted to him by the town. After his return to England, he conveyed this pasture, by his attorney, Charles Gott of Wenham, to Capt. George Corwin of Salem, merchant, July 1, 1659.*

Captain Corwin died Jan. 3, 1684-5, aged seventy-four. This pasture was divided between his son Jonathan and the heirs of his son John, who had died July 25, 1683, the former taking the western end of the pasture to the division line shown on the map, which he owned until his decease June 9, 1718. Jonathan was the judge who lived in the "witch house," having succeeded his father there, and who sat upon the bench during the witchcraft trials. The heirs of John had the portion east of the division line. He was the older son, and probably at the time of his marriage, about 1660, his father erected for him the ancient house that stood where the Washington House is now located on Washington street. Apparently the title to the house and land remained in the father until his decease.

By agreement of the heirs of George Corwin, March 31, 1685, the northern portion of the premises was assigned to John's widow Margaret, and the southern half with the house to her elder son George, who spent the remainder of his life in it.† Margaret probably died in 1691-2, and the northern part was in the possession of her son Samuel Corwin for several years, and in the occupation of Capt. Walter Price Sept. 13, 1709, when it was conveyed by Elizabeth Corwin, gentlewoman, Lucy Elliston, widow, both of Boston, Peter Thacher of Weymouth, clerk, and wife Hannah, Thomas Smith of Boston, brazier, and his wife Mary, and Margaret Corwin of Boston, gentlewoman, to Joseph Flint of Salem.§

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 60.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 28.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 65, leaf 254.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 388, leaf 201.

Captain George Corwin was the sheriff of the county, and but twenty-six years old when he hung the witches, being but thirty when he died in 1696. Even then the feeling against him was so strong that his friends were for a long time afraid to deposit his remains in the family tomb, a few rods in the rear of the house, and they were buried in the house cellar until the excitement had subsided.

Capt. Corwin married two daughters of Hon. Bartholomew Gedney, and by a declaration made March 17, 1691-2, a few months after he had acquired the title to the premises he conveyed the house and lot, after his decease, to his children.* His widow died Dec. 23, 1700; and the estate came into the hands of his son Bartholomew Corwin.

Bartholomew removed to Westerly, R. I., and, as soon as he became of age, conveyed the estate, for one hundred and sixty pounds, to Col. Samuel Browne of Salem July 5, 1714.†

Colonel Browne was wealthy, and resided in what is now Derby square, dying possessed of this house and lot June 21, 1731, and having devised the same to his son Benjamin, a boy of sixteen. Benjamin died, unmarried, Aug. 12, 1737, at the age of twenty-two. His heirs were his brothers, Cols. Samuel and William Browne. Samuel died Nov. 26, 1742, leaving two children, Hon. William Browne, a judge, and subsequently governor of Bermuda, and Abigail, who was afterward the wife of Joseph Blaney.

April 9, 1759, Benjamin's brother William, of Beverly, esq. (father of William Burnet Browne), released his half interest in the lot to his brother Samuel's children William and Abigail;§ and the last named William, of Salem, for two hundred and sixty-six pounds, conveyed his interest in the land, which he called two-thirds, to his sister Abigail's husband, Joseph Blaney, of Salem, gentleman, Oct. 5, 1762.¶

Mrs. Blaney died Dec. 24, 1776, and her husband conveyed the premises, including the house, warehouse and land to Joshua Ward of Salem Aug. 11, 1781.*

Mr. Ward removed the old house, and built a large and fine brick residence upon the same site before 1789. When Washington visited Salem in his tour east, in 1789, this was the house in which he spent the night he stopped in Salem, October 29.

Jeremiah Rogers House. This lot was probably granted to Rev. Hugh Peter when he was settled as pastor of the church here in 1635. He probably lived in the house that was early erected on this lot. After the close of his ministry here he returned to England; and, 8:12mo: 1659, by his attorney Charles Gott of Wenham, for twelve pounds, he conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Felton of Salem;† and about a year later was executed as a regicide upon the accession to the throne of Charles II. Mr. Felton conveyed the house and lot to Jeremiah Rogers of Salem, for sixty pounds, Nov. 29, 1681.§ Mr. Rogers was a wheelwright, and lived in this house for many years. Here was probably born his son, Rev. John Rogers, who became the second minister of Boxford, and to whom his father conveyed the premises, for one hundred and fifty pounds, May 1, 1717.¶ Rev. Mr. Rogers never lived here after he acquired the title, but let the house until March 26, 1750, when, for eighteen hundred pounds, he conveyed the estate to David Britton of Salem, gentleman, who then lived in the house.‡ The house was burned in the great fire, Oct. 6, 1774; and Captain Britton sold the lot, for four hundred and eighty pounds, to Henry Rust of Salem, merchant.¶ Mr. Rust came from Ipswich to Salem when a boy, and learned the carpenter's trade of Jonathan Gavet. He

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 60.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 26.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 105, leaf 235.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 114, leaf 152.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 138, leaf 264.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 73.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 33.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 32, leaf 8.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 96, leaf 165.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 137, leaf 95.

became a merchant, and upon this lot erected a brick residence, in one room of which was Dabney's bookstore of a century ago.

John Hathorne House. This lot and all the lots between this and Summer street, north of the Corwin land, belonged to Ralph Fogg in 1659, the tract containing about two acres. Mr. Fogg returned to England, and established himself as a furrier, first in Plymouth, and subsequently in London. He died in England about March 15, 1673-4, leaving the real estate to his widow Susanna and his three sons, John, David and Ezekiel. At the request of the widow, the brothers being together in Boston May 28, 1674, David and Ezekiel released the real estate to John, who then resided in Barnstable, Devonshire, England.*

John Fogg released to his brother Ezekiel, who was a merchant of London, but at that time in New England, a small portion of this lot, being that part within the four dashes, for thirty pounds, Jan. 2, 1674-5, the strip being then occupied by Hilliard Veren; † and Ezekiel conveyed it, still being occupied by Mr. Veren, for ten pounds, to John Marston, jr., of Salem May 21, 1676.§ Dea. John Marston, sr., of Salem, carpenter, conveyed it to John Hathorne, esq., of Salem, merchant, Aug. 25, 1685.||

The remainder of this lot, and all the tract west of it and north of the Corwin land, had come into the possession of Colonel Hathorne about 1675, probably by deed from John Fogg. Colonel Hathorne divided the tract west of this lot into house lots, as shown on the map, and conveyed them to several parties, as hereinafter stated. Most of them were sold on one day, May 19, 1699.

Washington street was probably the only street laid out in Salem in the earliest days. It crossed the peninsula at its

narrowest part, to form communication between the two rivers most advantageously. Its width was four rods, and except the slight widenings it received in the distant past at several points it is the same now. The breadth was unnecessary in the early days; and, 6: 1 mo: 1661, the town granted to Henry West, a sadler, a plot (shown on the map near house of Col. John Hathorne) two rods in length, and eighteen feet wide at one end and twenty at the other, on which to build a house. He erected a small house on it, and owned the place until Aug. 16, 1671, when he sold the house and lot to John Marston, jr., of Salem, carpenter.* Aug. 25, 1685, Deacon Marston conveyed the land and house to Colonel Hathorne.† On the south side of this lot was about a square rod of land without the travelled way which the town had permitted Thomas Tuck, the blacksmith, to use in connection with his shop. This is the triangular-shaped lot marked on the map. The town granted this lot to Colonel Hathorne March 31, 1684, and it was laid out to him by the selectmen twelve days later.

Upon the large lot that had belonged to the Fogs Colonel Hathorne erected his mansion house (where it is shown on the map), probably soon after his purchase, about 1675. He removed the house that he had bought of Deacon Marston in 1700, and probably allowed to become a part of the street again the lots that had been granted to West and himself.

Colonel Hathorne died in 1717, at the age of seventy-six. The house and lot were then valued at three hundred pounds. He devised his real estate to his sons Ebenezer, Joseph and Benjamin. Benjamin Hathorne lived in Salem, being a mariner, and he conveyed his interest in his father's real estate in Salem to his brother Joseph July 13, 1726;§ and Ebenezer, who resided in London, England, being a mariner, conveyed his interest to

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 79.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 124.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 22.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 62.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 74.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 62.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 48, leaf 94.

Joseph, while in Virginia, July 10, 1732.* Joseph Hathorne resided in this house, and was a mariner. He conveyed the estate to John Higginson of Salem, gentleman, for eight hundred and twenty-five pounds, Aug. 3, 1726;† and on the next day Mr. Higginson reconveyed it to Mr. Hathorne, who is then called a mariner.§ Mr. Hathorne died possessed of the house and lot in 1762, having devised his real estate to his wife Sarah for her life, with remainder to his sons William and Daniel and daughters Ruth, wife of David Ropes, and Sarah, wife of Daniel Cheever, equally. A partition was made Nov. 9, 1763, the sons taking the Hathorne farm and the daughters this house and lot.|| April 6, 1764, the daughters divided the premises, Mrs. Ropes taking the house and eastern part of the lot, and Mrs. Cheever the western part of the lot.‡ There were upon this lot below the house, in 1772, three shops occupied by Samuel Archer, Samuel Blyth and Ebenezer Swan, respectively. The house was burned down in the great fire, Oct. 6, 1774, the shops escaping the flames.

Nathaniel Hathorne Lot. This was a part of Colonel Hathorne's field, and was conveyed by him, for ninety pounds, to his son Nathaniel Hathorne, a mariner, May 19, 1699.¶ Mr. Hathorne conveyed the western part of the lot to Joseph Flint Sept. 28, 1702;** and the middle section to Mr. Flint June 26, 1704.†† Mr. Hathorne removed to Gosport, Southton county, Great Britain, and died there before 1712. His widow, Sarah, married, secondly, Nathaniel Satell of Gosport, mariner, and she conveyed, as executrix, the remaining part of the lot to Capt. William Bowditch of Salem, mariner, Jan. 7, 1712.§§

John Higginson Lot. Col. John Hathorne conveyed this lot to John Higginson, 3d, May 18, 1699.* Mr. Higginson erected a house upon this lot, probably after 1700, and died possessed of it.

Benjamin Marston Lot. Col. John Hathorne conveyed this lot to Benjamin Marston May 19, 1699.† He probably erected a house on this lot about 1708.

Stephen Sewall Lot. Col. John Hathorne conveyed this lot to Stephen Sewall May 19, 1699.§ Mr. Sewall conveyed it to Henry West Feb. 25, 1701-2.||

John Harvey Lot. Col. John Hathorne conveyed this lot to John Harvey of Salem, house carpenter, May 19, 1699.‡ Oct. 5, 1708, Mr. Harvey conveyed the eastern half to John Cabot of Salem, shopkeeper,¶ and the western half to John Ward of Salem, currier.**

Henry West Lot. Col. John Hathorne conveyed this lot to Henry West of Salem May 19, 1699.†† Mr. West died possessed of the lot in 1703, having devised it to his son Samuel West in his will, which, though well and strong, he made, "considering the many sudden deaths that are of late," Feb. 3, 1700-1. The son Samuel built the house that subsequently occupied the site.

NOTES.

Mary, daughter of Thos. Adden, baptized August 12, 1739.

Sarah, daughter of Thos. and Jane Adden, baptized April 18, 1742.

—*Peabody (Salem) church records.*

Admire, negro boy, four years old, baptized June 29, 1789.—*St. Peter's (Salem) church records.*

Hannah Agar, daughter of Martha Agar, died March 19, 1695-6, aged ten.—*Gloucester town records.*

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 114, leaf 112.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 58, leaf 48.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 222.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 111, leaf 215.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 111, leaf 229.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 2.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 16, leaf 45.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 233.

§§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 89.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 199.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 233.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 263.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 16, leaf 2.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 167.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 221.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 222.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 166.

WILL OF JOHN LOWELL.

The following is a copy of the will of John Lowell of Newbury transcribed from the ancient copy on file in the probate office in Boston. It was proved 27:8: 1647.

The Laft will & Testament of John Lowle Late of Newberry deceafed made this nine & twentieth of the fowrth mounth 1647

That I John Lowle of Newberry beeing in Pfect vnderstanding knowing my ffrailty doe declare this to bee my last will & Tefament; ftedfaftly beleiveing that when I goe hence I shall reft in Glory through my Saviour the Lord Jesus Ch^t. As for the Eftate the Lord hath given me heare I thus difpofe of it: I give vnto my wife Elizabeth Lowle one halfe of my estate whether it Consifts in Goods with-in or without Land Howses Cattell Howfhowld stufte meddowes land brocken or vnbrokne or what elfe Alfoe my said wife to Chufe Twenty pownds out of the refidewe of that eftate w^{ch} Came by her mother fformely or latter, The reft of my eftate to be devided equally betweene my Sonn John Lowle Mary Lowle Peter Lowle James Lowle Joseph Lowle Beniamine Lowle & Elizabeth Lowle. Alfo I doe Humbly intreate thefe fve my Chrif-tian deare Loving ffreinds & bretherne my brother william Gerrish Richard Lowle John Sanders Richard Knight & Nicholas Noice to be my exec and Adm of this my last will & testament as alfoe to be the ouerseers of my wife and Children in A ffreindly Christian way towards them and that yoⁿ five shold take the advife of our elders; in Cace any one of my first wives Children dye before theie have their portion in ther hands that it be equally devided amongft the reft that are Living the same I say concerning my second wives Children Beniamine & Elizabeth thefe portions for my Children to be paid them when the Court Judge them wife, and able to manage an eftate as theie shall receive information from sixe of the wife Godly men of the Towne with the Elders. Alfoe I will that before the

Goods be devided that my daughter Elizabeth shall take tenn pownds worth of her owne mothers Clothers for her vfe; Alfoe that my daughter mary take Twenty pownds worth of her owne motherl Clothers, Alfoe if my wife marry I wils that my daughter mary then shall Live with my Sifter Johan Gerrish if my sifter please; if my daughter mary Chufe to Live with my sifter before my wife; And that my two daughters shall have their Thirty pownds worth of Clothers taken out before the Eftate be devided dated as above writne In witnes wherevnto I have put my hand this day and yeare above writne;

Witnes p me Jn^o Lowle
Edmond Grenleife
Will: Gerrish
Robert Long

WILL OF RICHARD WOODMAN.

The nuncupative will of Richard Woodman of Lynn was sworn to in Salem quarterly court 30: 10: 1647. The following is a copy of the original on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume I, leaf 89.

The will of Richard woodman of the Towne of Lynn defeced as foloweth

Being fpoken to by Nicholas ||Potter|| to make his will faid that hee would make his will and being asked by John Gillow too whome hee would giue his goods faid that hee would giue fower pounds to the Elders of lynn fortie shilings a yeere, and ||all|| the reft of his goods hee would giue to Joseph Redknap Richard more and ||to|| his mafter John Gillow, equally to either of them alike and y^t Joseph Redknap he did make his exequtor.

Witnesfes to this will John Gillow & Richard moore witness that Joseph Redknap is the executor

John Gillow

NOTE.

Abigail Agur married George Peal July 28, 169-(6?).—*Salem town records.*

THE DAYS OF OLD.

Pleasant were those times, I trow,
Half a century ago,—
When our country newly free,
Sober in her liberty,
Well content with rural cheer,
Had not doffed her homespun gear,—
Did not ask on steam to fly,
With a whistle and a cry,—
Nor the lightning-flash employ
As her tireless errand-boy.
But she had a peaceful smile,
Full of heart and free from guile,
And at hearth-stone taught the while
Truths to rear a healthful throng,
Love that made republics strong,—
And we bless the ancient strain
That restores her thus again.

1854.

Lydia H. H. Sigourney.

"OLD FOLKS'" CONCERTS.

Among the incidents that gave real enjoyment to our fathers few were more desired than the "Old folks' concerts;" and their hearts would quicken at the remembrance of the evenings spent in singing over again the ancient songs.

Held in the old meeting-house, time-worn and weather-stained, with square pews, the singers were fitly ranged in the gallery. Girls and young men, middle-aged and gray-headed men and women, the veterans in song, were all there, to sing solo, duet or chorus; and the rich, full chords of the quaint old tunes rolled down the aisles in swelling tides of harmony.

In the earlier days the voice of some negro slave lent variety to the concert. The full, sweet, rich tones of the negro voice is ever beautiful. A writer testifies to its effect with exquisite language:—

"Loud he sang the psalm of David!
He, a negro, and enslaved,
Sang of Israel's victory,
Sang of Zion, bright and free.

"And the voice of his devotion
Filled the soul with strange emotion,
For its tones by turn were sad,
Sweetly solemn, wildly glad."

No piano or organ led the singers in the tune, though some villages could boast of a bass viol. They depended upon

themselves, assisted only by the pitchpipe and baton of the leader, who,

"Glancing round his well-trained band,
Gave the key-tone loud and true,
Beating time with ardor due.

"On his brow with fixed intent
Every loyal eye is bent,
For his ear, as quick as thought,
Each incipient discord caught;
Scarce the reverend man who stood
'Neath his sounding-board of wood,
Or a king in sceptred state
To that choir might seem so great.

"Foremost in the tuneful race,
By their privilege of place,
Breathed the tenor bold and clear—
Bass and treble follow near;
While the counter shrill and keen
Filled the intervals between.
Thus, with perfect movement led,
Words of praise distinctly said,
Semibreves accented strong,
Flowed the surging tide of song.

"Ever new, and ever young,
Thus Old Hundred grandly rung,
Or St. Martin's sweetly swells,—
Bath, and Winchester, and Wells,—
Mear and Aylesbury's tones of love,
With their full adagio move,
Jordan, and St. Helen's flow,
Dulce or fortissimo,—
Denmark with its chorus high,
Hotham's tender harmony,—
And a host of equal claim,
Time would fail me here to name.

"Though, perchance, the modern school,
Nurtured 'neath Italian skies,
View with scorn the simple rule
Of those quaint old melodies;
Yet devotion deep and grave
Kindled at their earnest stave.
Pious ancestors were there,
Blooming cheeks,—and temples grey,—
Saintly fathers,—where are they?
Find they not a Better Land?
Swell they not the seraph-band?"

ALGER NOTES.

Andrew Alger was of Casco Bay, Maine, 1685; and in 1692, being "formerly of Cape Porpus, Maine, now resident in Newbury," he conveys land at Cape Porpus.—*Registry of deeds.*

Arthur Allger (died? Oct. 14, 1675) and wife and children (of Marblehead?). His widow Ann, 1676.

AMBROSE FAMILY.

The name of AMBROSE is also spelled in Essex county records *Ambros* and *Ambross*.

The first of the name here was

HENRY AMBROSE¹, born about 1613. He lived in Hampton, N. H., from 1640 to 1649, when he removed to Salisbury. He subsequently removed to Charlestown about 1652, to Boston in 1653 or 1654; and returned to Salisbury, where he died in 1658. He was made a freeman May 18, 1642; and was a house carpenter by trade. His wife Susannah survived him, and married, secondly, John Severance of Salisbury before 1664; being alive in 1670. (2A 2 1663)

Children:—

- 2—I. SAMUEL², bapt. July 25, 1641, in Hampton. *See below* (2).
- 3—II. EBENEZER², b. about 1642; was living in 1669.
- 4—III. HENRY², b. June —, 1649, in Salisbury. *See below* (4).
- 5—IV. ABIGAIL², b. Dec. 28, 1654, in Boston; m. William Osgood of Salisbury Oct. —, 1672.

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SAMUEL AMBROSE², baptized in Hampton, N. H., July 25, 1641. He was a mariner, and was living in Salisbury as late as 1670. He married Hope —, who, in 1675-8 (calling herself of "Jamico"), petitioned for divorce.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 6—I. ABIGAIL³, b. 12: — : 1665.
- 7—II. MARGARITE³, b. 6 : 12 : 1668.

4

HENRY AMBROSE², born in Salisbury June —, 1649. He lived in Salisbury; and was a weaver. He married Susanna, widow of Timothy Worcester, in the last week in October, 1672. They were both admitted to the church in Salisbury Oct. 16, 1715; and he died before 1724. She died, his widow, in Salisbury Dec. 22, 1730.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 8—I. DOROTHY³, b. Sept. 21, 1673; living in 1723.
- 9—II. NATHANIEL³, b. Jan. 26, 1675-6; d. young.

10—III. NATHANIEL³, b. 12 : 14 : 1677-8. *See below* (10).

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NATHANIEL AMBROSE³, born in Salisbury 12 : 14 : 1677-8. He lived in Salisbury; and was at first a weaver, but subsequently a yeoman. He married, first, Sarah Eastman of Salisbury Dec. 8, 1697. She died Aug. 28, 1728; and he removed in the fall of 1731 to Chester, N. H., where he afterward lived. He married, second, in Amesbury, Mass., Hannah Hunt Nov. 26, 1733. She died in Amesbury July 26, 1734; and he died in Chester June —, 1745.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 11—I. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Oct. 2, 1698; m., first, Sampson Underhill Jan. 15, 1717-8; and, second, Benjamin Batchelder.
- 12—II. HENRY⁴, b. Aug. —, 1701. *See below* (12).
- 13—III. JOHN⁴, b. Sept. 28, 1707. *See below* (13).
- 14—IV. SARAH⁴, b. June —, 1716; m. — Veasey.
- 15—V. ABIGAIL⁴, m. Joshua Prescott.

12

HENRY AMBROSE⁴, born in Salisbury Aug. —, 1701. He was a husbandman; and lived in Salisbury until the fall of 1731, when he removed to Chester, N. H. He married, first, Hannah Hoyt Dec. 20, 1722; and, second, Mary Haise (published Sept. 26, 1724). He died in 1746.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 16—I. JONATHAN⁵, b. April 24, 1723.
- 17—II. PETIE⁵, b. Nov. 2, 1725.
- 18—III. ROBERT⁵, d. Feb. 20, 1726-7.
- 19—IV. HANNAH⁵, b. Nov. 29, 1727; m. Richard Buswell Jan. 31, 1748-9.
- 20—V. SARAH⁵, b. July 30, 1730.

13

JOHN AMBROSE⁴, born in Salisbury Sept. 28, 1707. He was a cooper; and lived in Salisbury until the fall of 1731, when he removed to Chester, N. H. He married Elizabeth Hayes March 6, 1728-9; and she was living in 1732.

Children:—

- 21—I. BENJAMIN⁵, b. Dec. 6, 1729, in Salisbury.

- 22—II. ROBERT⁵, b. March 6, 1732, in Ches-
ter; m. Mary Ethredge.
23—III. ———⁵.
24—IV. ———⁵.
25—V. ———⁵.
26—VI. ———⁵.

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

Continued from page 46.

March 6, 1661, Daniel Ladd, sr. (his [mark) and wife Ann (her 5 mark) of Haverhill, for £25, conveyed to George Brown of Haverhill 5 acres of planting land in ye lower plain, bounded by John Williams, sr. Wit: Rich: Littlehale and Jn^o Dow (his 8 & 0: mark). Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Whereas Joseph Jowett, late of Rowley, sold to William Compton of Norfolk house, barn, orchard and five acres of land in Haverhill, bounded by widow Eyers, Robert Eyers and street, and two commonages, his executors, Phillip Nelson, John Carleton (also Carlton) and Jerimee Jowett, now pass the title, for £40, 26: 1: 1662. Wit: Sam: Appleton and Theophilus Wilson. Ack. in court at Ipswich March 25, 1662.

March 14, 1661-2, Robert Clements and wife Elizabeth of Haverhill conveyed to Willi: Deale of Haverhill 7 acres of upland, bounded by ye common, little river, etc., for two commonages said Deale bought of George Corlis. Wit: Theophilus Satchwell and Robert Swam. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

May 17, 1654, Jn^o Ward of Haverhill and wife Alice conveyed to Elizabeth Lilford of Haverhill (wife of Tho: Lilford) 4-acre house lot. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Rich: Ormsby. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin May 15, 1658.

April 19, 1661, James Davis, sr., (his A mark) and wife Cisley (her 5 mark) of Haverhill, for £10, conveyed to George Brown of Haverhill 2 acres of my houselot on the side next grantee's houselot. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. before Symon Bradstreet Oct. 13, 1661.

Oct. 12, 1661, Obadiah Eyer (his O mark) of Haverhill and wife Hannah, for £5 10s., conveyed to John Jonson of Haverhill 4 acres in flaggy meadow, bounded by Edward Clarke and Jn^o Eyer. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. before Simon Bradstreet Oct. 13, 1661.

April 21, 1659, William Simons (also Simmons) (his M mark) of Haverhill and wife Elizabeth, for £8 10s., conveyed to John Jonson of Haverhill 3 acres of houselot I bought of Theophilus Satchwell, bounded by Daniel Ladd, etc. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. before Simon Bradstreet Oct. 13, 1661.

Theophilus Satchwell acquits John Jonson of all demands about Simons' sale of Savage's lot, in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662. Wit.(?): Robert Clements and George Brown.

April 22, 1659, Robert Swan of Haverhill and wife Elizabeth, for £16, conveyed to John Jonson of Haverhill 6 acres of houselot I bought of Mathias Button, bounded by Theophilus Satchwell, etc. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. before Symon Bradstreet Oct. 13, 1661.

March 12, 1661-2, Robert Clements of Haverhill, cooper, and wife Elizabeth, for £30, conveyed to John Jonson of Haverhill house and lot I bought of Thomas Perrie, the houselot containing 3½ acres, bounded by John Williams, sr., Daniel Ladd, Bartholemew Heath and highway; 2½ acres in hether north meadow, bounded by goodman Satchwell and goodman Littlehale; 2 acres of meadow at Spickett, bounded by river; 5 acres of accommodations; the second division lying on the north side of the great pond being 20 acres; and the third division being 60 acres (probably bought of Mr. Juett or his executors). Wit: James Pecker and Joseph Davis. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Robert Clements and John Carlton, both of Haverhill, bond to John Jonson of Haverhill to defend title against Jerri-

mie Jewitt and Phillip Nelson, March 12, 1661 2. Wit: James Pecker and Joseph Davis. Ack. in court 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Thomas Webster of Hampton conveyed to John Cass of Hampton one share in great ox-common in Hampton April 4, 1662. Wit: John Barsham and Robert Tuck. Ack. before Tho: Wiggin.

Thomas Barnet (signed Barnerd; also spelled Barnard) of Salisbury, husbandman, conveyed to Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, 24 acres of upland in Salisbury new town, bounded by John Eyer, sr., now in possession of grantee, widow Willix (formerly wife of Tho: Hauxworth) and Merrimack river, April 5, 1662. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Willi: White. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

John Hoyt, jr., of Salisbury, planter, for 45s., conveyed to Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, 24 acres of upland in ye new town of Salisbury, bounded by Robert Quenby, James George and Merrimack river, April 5, 1662. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Tho: fowler. Ack. in court in Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

James George (his E mark) of Salisbury, planter, for 45s., conveyed to Richard Currier 24 acres of upland in Salisbury new town, bounded by Jn^o. Hoyt, jr., William Osgood and Merrimack river, April 5, 1662. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Thomas fowler. Ack. by grantor (his wife surrendering dower) in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

A planting lot of 30 acres was granted by Salisbury to John Eyer, late of Salisbury, deceased, up Merrimack river towards Haverhill, at the place called Jaimeca, and half of it was resigned to the town, the other half said John Eyer gave to his son Robert Eyer, and now said Robert Eyer of Haverhill conveys it to Richard Currier of Salisbury new town, bounded by Merrimack river, land formerly granted to Mr. Winsley, and Daniel Ladd. March 25, 1662. Robert's wife Elizabeth joins with him. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Mary White. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

John Eyer releases his interest in above lot April 9, 1662.

John Hutchins (his I H mark) of Haverhill, for £200, conveyed to his son Joseph Hutchins of Haverhill my house and several lots of land in Haverhill and live stock April 29, 1661. Grantor's wife ffrances (her H mark) joins with him. Wit: Tho: Eyer (his o mark), Will: White and Will: Hutchen. Ack. before Sam: Symonds April 29, 1662.

Vallentine Rowell (his [mark) of Salisbury, carpenter, for £8, conveyed to Edward Woodman of Nuberie, merchant, two lots of salt marsh in ye last division of higledee pigledee lots in ye hoghouse marshes near fox island, bounded by Robert fitts, Phillip Challis, and creek, 6 acres, April 5, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Sam: Hall. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Tho: Barnard of Salisbury, husbandman, upland on Merrimack river in Salisbury April 5, 1662. Wit: Sam: Dalton and William White. Ack. by R. C., his wife Ann releasing dower, in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Jarrett Haddon (his L mark) and wife Margerite (her mark III) (called Mary also) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to John Eyer of Haverhill, husbandman, 2 lots of sweepage, one of 3 acres and 66 rods, being formerly of Henry Brown, and bounded by Will: Sargent and Anthony Colby (formerly of Mr. Sam: Winsley), the other of 2 acres and 16 rods, being formerly of Vallentine Rowell, and bounded by Jn^o. Dickison and Anthony Colby (formerly of Mr. Sam: Winsley), April 9, 1662. Wit: Thomas Barnard and Henry Green. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

April 8, 1662, Tho: Carter (his T mark) of Salisbury, planter, for 25s., conveyed to Anthony Stanian of Hampton, yeoman, my interest in the farm that Salisbury bought of Sam: Hall gent; and rights belonging to it, except 2 acres of meadow formerly granted to me within the bounds of said farm. Wit: Georg

Broughton, Sam: Hall and Tho: Bradbury, jr. Ack. by grantor, his wife releasing dower, in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

April 8, 1662, widow Elliner Hooke of Salisbury, by Sam: Hall, her agent, for 34s., conveyed to Anthony Stanian of Hampton, yeoman, her interest in the farm that Salisbury bought of Sam: Hall gent, except 2 acres of meadow granted to her within the bounds of the farm. Wit: Georg: Broughton and Thomas Bradbury, jr. Ack. by Mr. Sam: Hall, agent for M^s Ellin^r Hooke, in court in Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

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BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT BURYING GROUND.

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IN MEMORY OF
M^{rs} MERCY THORNDIKE,
the confort of
CAP^t ISRAEL THORNDIKE,

who departed this Life October 20th 1783
Æ. 27.

An amiable disposition—a benevolent heart
Undiffembled affections—and social virtues
adorned her life.

She's gone! she's past the gloomy shades of night
Safe landed in th' eternal realms of light.

ALSO
of

ISRAEL THORNDIKE,
son of

Capt. Israel and M^{rs} Mercy Thorndike,
who departed this Life

Nov^r 2d 1782,

Æ. 2 Years.

Here lies y^e Body of
Cap^t JOHN THORNDICK
who Departed this
Life MARCH y^e 24th

1 7 6 0

In y^e 86th Year
of his Age.

IN Memory of
M^R JOHN THORNDIKE,
who departed this
Life July: 10th 1769:
In the 69th year
of his age.

IN Memory of
Nancy Thorndike,
daugh^r of Mr. Henry
& Mrs. Eliz^a Thorndik^e
who died Dec^r 4th
1790. aged 11 mon^s
and 26 days.

IN Memory of
M^R NICKLOS THORNDIKE
who departed this Life
Feb^r 17th 1788:
In the 55th year
of his age.

*Behold & see as you pass by,
As you are now so once was I;
As I am now you soon must be,
Prepare for death & follow me.*

IN Memory of
Cap^t OSMOND THORNDIK^E
who departed this life
May 28th 1796
Aged 35 years.

*Sweet soul we leave thee to thy rest
Enjoy thy Jesus & thy God;
Till we from bands of clay releas't
Spring out & climb the shining
(road).*

IN Memory of
M^{RS} RUTH THORNDIKE
wife of COL^N
LARKIN THORNDIKE,
who departed This
Life Sep^t 23^d 1773:
Aged 45 years.

M^{RS} JANE TRASK
1 7 4 9 *

*Footstone.

Here lies Buried y^e Body of
M^r JOHN TRASK
who Departed this Life
April 14th 1760
In the 39th Year
of his Age.

—
This Stone Perpetuates
The Memory of M^r
MANASSEH TRASK
who Died October
the 12th 1761
Aged 40 Years.

—
HERE LYES Y^e
BODY OF ABIGAIL
TUCK AGED 12
YEARS DEC^d
JULY y^e 17th
1718.

—
HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF JOHN TUCK
DEC^d APRIL Y^e 24th 1718
IN Y^e 18th YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

—
HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF JOSEPH TUCK
AGED 41 YEARS &
6 M^o DEC^d MARCH
y^e 2^d 1718

—
In Memory of
M^{rs} Anne Wallace
the Widdow of
M^r Jn^o Wallace
who Died June 12th
1786 in the 54th
Year of her age.

—
HERE LYES V^e BODY
OF CALEB WALLIS
DIED NOVEMBER
1714 IN Y^e 47
YEAR OF HIS
AGE.

IN
Memory of
Deacon CALEB WALLIS,
who suddenly departed
this life Feb^y 9th 1780:
Aged 53 years.

*Come hither mortals cast an eye,
And go thy way prepare to die;
Here read your doom for die you must
One day like me return to dust.*

—
IN Memory of
Mrs. Rebeeca Wallis,
wife of
Deacon Caleb Wallis
who departed this Life
Sept 25th 1796,
Aged 62 years.

—
IN Memory of
William Wallis, son
of M^r Ebenezer &
M^{rs} Mary Wallis,
who died Sep^t 20th
1786: Aged 19
months & 3 days.

—
HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF ELIZABETH WEST
THE WIFE OF CAP^t
THOMAS WEST AGED
ABOUT 67 YEARS
DECEASED Oct^r
y^e 12th ANNO DOM:
1708.

—
Here lyes y^e
body of Hannah
West dau^{ht} to Thomas
& Chrifian West who
died dec^{mr} y^e 5th 1723
in y^e 12th year
of her Age

—
Here lies y^e body of
M^{rs} MARY WEST
wife of M^r SAMUEL
WEST, who died April y^e
28th A. D. 1762.
In the 80th Year
of her Age

Afo Samuel Son of
Sam & Mary Weft
died March y^e 9 1723
in y^e 7th year of
his Age

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NOTES.

Children of Jn^o. and Sarah Adams:
Elizabeth, born Oct. 20, 1682; Sarah,
born Oct. 13, 1684; Mary, born Feb. 15,
1687; John, born March 16, 1689; Mar-
garet, born Feb. 11, 1692-3; died May 14,
1694; Margaret, born March 8, 1695-6.

Margaret Adams married John Pease
30: 11: 1676-7.

Hannah Adams married Isaac Welman,
March 13, 1678-9.

Widow Sarah Adams of Salem married
Henry Harvey Dec. 12, 1700.

Hannah Adams married Thomas Keene,
both of Salem, June 18, 1786.

William Adams married Hanna Cox,
both of Salem, Jan. 12, 1781.

—*Salem town records.*

Jonas Adams¹ married Sarah Jefferts
(both of Salem) (published July 5, 1729),
and lived in Salem. His will was made
Dec. 22, 1756; and proved May 16,
1757. He was a mariner, and after his
death his widow conducted an inn. Her
will was made March 20, 1780; and
proved July 12, 1786. Children: 1. *Elizabeth*²
(twin), baptized in First church
Jan. 30, 1731-2; married Caleb Griffith
of Salem April 24, 1755; and died be-
fore 1780. 2. *Sarah*² (twin), baptized
in First church Jan. 30, 1731-2; d.
young. 3. *Samuel*², baptized in First
church March 10, 1733-4; and probably
died before 1756. 4. *Sarah*², baptized in
First church March 21, 1735-6; married
Jacob Bacon Sept. 16, 1790. 5. *Jonas*²,
baptized in First church March 26, 1737-
8; was living in 1756; and died before
1780. 6. *William*², baptized in First
church May 18, 1740; married Mary
Flynt of Salem March 24, 1763; and had
children living in 1780, when he was
probably deceased. 7. *Daniel*², baptized

in First church May 16, 1742; married
Hepzibah Batchelder of Beverly March
14, 1773; and lived in Beverly. He was
a master mariner; and from 1777 to 1781
he owned the Joseph Symonds place in
Boxford. Children, born in Beverly:
Josiah Batchelder³, born Oct. 27, 1774;
died at sea; Daniel³, born Oct. 5, 1776;
Mary Leach³, born Oct. 10, 1778; mar-
ried Benjamin Blanchard; Hephzibah³,
born Nov. 11, 1780; m. — Freeland;
Samuel³, born Oct. 10, 1782; married
Sally Sugden Feb. 2, 1806; John³, born
April 11, 1787; died at sea; Emily³, born
Oct. 3, 1789; married Ebenezer Eveleth
Oct. 27, 1808; Lucy³, born Feb. 27, 1792;
married Ebenezer Berry Dec. 5, 1815;
and died Feb. 8, 1858. 8. *Mary*², bap-
tized in Tabernacle church June 15, 1746;
living in 1780.—*Beverly town records,*
*Salem town and church records, and pro-
bate records.*

Children of Joseph Adams: Dolly,
Lydia, Joseph, and Stephen, baptized Oct.
6, 1782; Isaac, baptized March 21, 1784;
Nehemiah, baptized July 3, 1791.

Children of Stephen Adams: Stephen,
baptized July 6, 1786; Hitty, baptized
June 8, 1788; Sarah, baptized Jan. 9,
1791.

Emerson Adams died, of small pox,
Feb. 18, 1778, aged sixteen.

Woodbridge Adams, a married man,
died in Boston Dec. 11, 1749.

Dr. Samuel Adams married, first, Sarah
—, who died Sept. 24, 1787; and, sec-
ond, Abigail Dodge Jan. 29, 1789. His
son John baptized Oct. 5, 1783.

—*Ipswich town records.*

John Adams married Mary Stacey, both
of Marblehead, July 17, 1739.

Joseph B. Adams married Lois Boden
Aug. 6, 1797.

Children of Robert and Jean Adams:
Mary, born May 20, 1714; Jean, born
July 12, 1718; William, born Nov. 29,
1720.

Nathaniel Adams lived in Marblehead;
shopkeeper; married Susannah Trevett
Nov. 29, 1795, who was of Boston in

1813; he died Feb. 26, 1825, aged fifty-three; children: Samuel T., born Nov. 22, 1796; Mary W., born Feb. 16, 1798; Samuel R. T., born Jan. 16, 1800; Nathaniel, born Jan. 3, 1803; Michael H., born May 11, 1806; John, born Aug. 28, 1808.

—*Marblehead town records.*

"MONDAY, November 7.

"We hear that next Tuesday fails from Pifcataqua for England, JOHN FISHER, Esq; Brother to his Excellency Governor WENTWORTH, and lately difmifs'd (*by the Board of Commissioners*) from his Office of Collector of his Majesty's Customs for the Ports of Salem and Marblehead, much regretted by the whole County; for altho' rather strict, yet he was punctual and impartial in his Office, and in private Life esteemed by all an humane honest Man: What his Faults (or his imputed Faults are) is not yet made publick."—*Essex Gazette, Nov. 1-8, 1768.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

209. Wanted, information of Amos Burton, youngest child of Isaac, born Sept. 20, 1685, and brother of Stephen. Amos baptized in Salem Dec. 17, 1727. Whom did he marry? Who were his children, etc.?

Butler, N. J.

J. B. R.

210. Wanted, parentage of Benjamin Browne, jr., published to widow Elizabeth Foster, Jan., 1750, Ipswich. Who were his two former wives? He had a daughter Sarah, born, 1729, married Philip Lord, 4th. He probably born, 1699.

Newton Centre.

J. F. D.

211. Wanted, ancestry of Sibley Freeman, born Oct. 29, 1723, who married Timothy Foster of Attleborough.

Madison, Wis.

M. S. F.

ANSWERS.

107. Mary Johnson of Haverhill, who married Samuel Haseltine about 1715, was daughter of John, jr., and Lydia

(Clement) Johnson, and was born in Haverhill Jan. 6, 1693-4. Her parents were married in Haverhill Feb. 19, 1688-9. Mrs. Johnson died Oct. 11, 1696, and Lt. Johnson, the husband, married a third time, and died in Haverhill March 9, 1723-4, having been the father of sixteen children. Mr. Johnson was a blacksmith, having his shop on the river bank, near what is now the steamboat landing. —*Ed.*

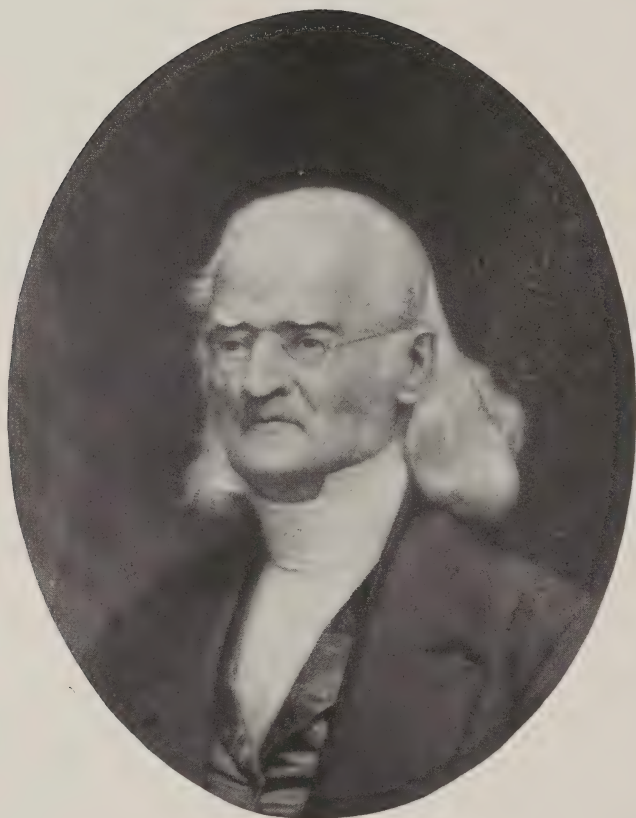
158. This query asks for "a record of marriages by Rev. Samuel Lang of Portsmouth, N. H., 1761." Rev. Samuel Langdon, D. D., was minister of the North Parish, Portsmouth, N. H., 1747-1774. Apply to present minister, Rev. L. H. Thayer.—*J. F., Portsmouth, N. H.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE EARLY DAYS AND EARLY SURVEYS OF EAST NEW JERSEY. By *William Roome*. Butler, N. J., 1897. Paper; octavo; 65 pages. This is a valuable and interesting account of early times and incidents in the eastern part of New Jersey.

THE OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY. Part IV. By *David W. Hoyt*. Providence, R. I., 1899. This is the fourth part of Mr. Hoyt's painstaking and valuable work on the early families of Salisbury and Amesbury. This part contains eighty pages, and includes family names from Martin to Somes.

PUTNAM FREE SCHOOL, NEWBURYPORT. Exercises at the celebration of the Fiftieth Anniversary, April 12, 1898. Newburyport, 1899. Paper; 78 pages. This full report of the interesting exercises celebrating the close of the first half-century of the existence of the Putnam Free School contains the addresses delivered, letters received, lists of students present, cuts of the old and new buildings occupied by the school, a silhouette of Oliver Putnam, the founder of the school, cuts of the original teachers, William H. Wells, Luther Dame and Mary A. Shaw, and the Memorial tablet erected on the occasion.



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SALEM QUARTERLY COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

THE following are abstracts of the Salem quarterly court records and files. The abstracts of the original papers on file are separated from the records by being placed in brackets. These are the earliest records and papers in the county, and are extremely valuable.

The cover of the first volume gives the forms of oath for commissioners and constables, 28: 1: 1637; and the following memoranda:—

William Meades sworn constable of Gloster 22: 9: 1648.

Phillip Virrin sw: x: 2^{mo} 1637.
M^r Gardener.

Jn^o Alderman sworn 8: 5^{mo}: 1639.

Gervas Garford sworn 13: 1: 1639.

Edward Tomlins de Lyn sw: 31: 1: 1640.

Edward Burcham sw: 31: 1: 1640.

Rob^t Elwell sworn 30: 4: 1640.

W^a Lord sworn 1: 5^{mo} 1640.

Joseph Bachler swor — of 5^{mo} 1641.

—— Spooner sworn 20: 8: 1641.

M^r Henry Bartholmew 10: 6^{mo} 1642.

m^r Tho: Venner swor. 10: 6^{mo} 1642.

m^r Robert Butten 29: 9^{mo} 1642.

Obedianc Brenen 28: 10^m 1642.

Rich^{ge} Prence sworn 27: 10: 1642.

John Gillo sworn constable 28: 4: 1643.

Tho: Tresler sworn constable 4: 7^{mo} 1643.

Moses Maverik sworn constable 26: 10: 43.

Walter Tibott for Gloster 2: 10^{mo} —.

W ffisk for Wenam 26: 12: 1643. for Salem.

Tho: Edwards 25: 1: 1644 for Marblehead.

David Co—— 10: 11^{mo} 1644. Georg Kefar of Lynn and James Axe of Lynn.

31: 10: 1644 Rich^r Bishop of Salem.

Phineas fisk of Wenam.

Charles Glover of — .

Chosen constables and sworn:—

Henry Harwood 7: 2^{mo} 1645 for Salem.

Nathaneell Handforth 10: 5^{mo} 45 for Lyn.

Richard Johnson 8: 5: 45 for Lynn.

Jefferey Massy 15: 2: 46 for Salem.

M^r Walter Price 26: 8: 1646.

James Moulton, Wenham, 29: 10: 1646.

Andrew Lester, Gloster, 7: 11: 1646.

Henry Skerry, constable of Salem.

M^r Robt Mansfield and Georg Taylor for Lynn.

31: 6: 1647, John Sibley, Manchester.

Court, 27: 4: 1636.

Present: Cp. John Endicott, esq., Cp. Nath. Turner, Mr. Townshend Bishopp, Mr. Tho. Scrugge.

The last three above named were sworn as commissioners.

Corn in constable Wood's hands.

Thomas Standley, constable of Saugus, fined for absence from court.

William Woods, juryman, fined for absence from court, but excused by *Sam Kesar*.

All canoes at Salem, at the north side, ordered to be brought "Unto the cove of the common landing place of the North River by George Harris' house; and those of the south side before the Storehouse in South river," under penalty, there to be viewed by John Holgrave, Peter Palfrey, Ric^r Waterman, Roger Connant and Phillip Verin.

Salem watchmen to meet the constable at the meeting house half an hour after sunset and in the morning.

Jury: Timothy Thomlins, foreman, Jeffery Massie, Lawrence Leech, Daniell Ray, Ric^t Waterman, Ric^t Rayman, Henry ffeake, Boniface Burton, John Woodbury, Tho: Talmadge, John Smith and John Sibley.

Civil cases:—

Phillip Verin v. ffrancis Perry.
John Symonds v. Ric^t Lambert.
Margret Swifte v. Robt Cotta.

Court, 27: 7: 1636.

Present: Cp. Jn^o Endicot, esq., Cp. Nath: Turner, Mr. Townshend Bishopp and Mr. Tho: Scrugs.

Tho: Standley fined for absence last court; corn in Mr. Wood's hands to be attached.

Canoes are to be marked.

William James and his wife Elizabeth to appear at next court in Boston to answer for confessed uncleanness.

William Dixie, James Smith, John Stone and Jn^o Sibley fined for taking excessive wages.

Thomas Brooke fined "for being over-seen in drink;" fine paid by his master.

Jn^o Adams whipped for running away from his m^r Thorndik.

Mr. Thomas Scrugs fined for a pound breach.

Jury: Jn^o Blackleeche, foreman, Charles Gott, Phillip Virrin, Thomas Gardener, Lawrence Leech, Jeffery Massie, Thomas Smith, John Carman, Robt Driver, Sarg. Walker, Robt Bottfish and Tho: Coldham.

Civil cases:—

Robt Cotta v. Sarg^t Dixie. Assault.
Robt Cotta v. wⁿ Jeggle. Assault and battery.

Michaell Sallows v. James Smith.

Georg Emerie v. Ben: ffelton.

Matthew Weston v. Rich^d Hutchens.

John Stone v. Ric^t Hollinworth. Mr. Peters mentioned, John Howe and Samuell Archer by the procurement of Rich^t Hollinworth to view the trees he felled.

John More v. James Smith.

Court 27: 10: 1636.

Present: Mr. Jn^o Endicot, esq., Cp. Nathaneell Turner, Mr. Townshen Bishop and Mr. Tho: Scruggs.

Richard Hollinworth to answer for misdemeanors at the general court in the Bay. Withdrawn upon his submission, etc.

William Dodg's boy whipped for running away from his master.

Jn^o Luff to sit four hours in the stocks for resisting constable Weston.

Thomas Gay presented for defaming John Pikworth.

The worshipful John Humphreys, esq., fined for absence and not giving warrant to the constable to warn a jury to serve the Commonwealth this court; and also to demand five shillings for Willia Wood. Remitted 26: 10: 1637.

Josua Holgrave ordered to appear for pound breaches.

R: flogg ordered to collect fines.

Jury: Robt Molton, foreman, Phillip Virrin, Daniell Ray, Rc^t Waterman, Jeffery Massy, Ric^t Raym^t, John Hardy, Peter Palfrey, Roger Conant, Law: Leech, Jn^o. Black and Geo. Willias.

Civil cases:—

John Pike of Newbury, atty, p. Mr. Eson v. Robert Coles.

John Sweet v. Thomas Bushrode, p. Mr. Johnson's atty.

Thomas Babb, atty of Cptor Browning v. Hugh Browne.

Ibid Tho: Babb v. Thomas Gray.

Ibid Mr. Babb v. Stukley Wescott.

Ibid Mr. Babb v. Jn^o Pride and wⁿ Vinson

[Mr. Babb is mentioned in a paper on file, dated Jan. 20, 1636, and containing a list of articles with prices.—*Files.*]

Ric^t Saltonston, esq., and Stephen Apleton, ex'rs of Sara Dillingham, by their atty Thomas Weld v. Elias Stilman.

Court, 28: 1: 1637.

Present: Mr. Jn^o Endicot, esq., Mr. Jn^o Humphrey, esq., Mr. Townshen Bishop and Mr. Tho: Scruggs.

Abram Whitheare borrowed a canoe of R. flogg, which was taken by Goodman

Lord's wife, being found upon the rocks by Darbie's fort in danger, and brought to Georg Wright. Goodman Lord was ordered to pay five shillings to Wright for his pains, and twelve pounds to Whitheire for loss of time in seeking it.

Jury: Roger Conant, foreman, Law: Leech, Peter Palfrey, Jn^o Woodbury, Daniel Ray and Mr. Tho: Read, all of Salem, Mr. Moses Maverik of Marblehead, Jn^o Carman, Goodman Coop, Tho: Couldham, Tho: Hubbard and Robt Bottfish, all of Saugus.

Civil cases:—

Jn^o Gillo of Saugus v. Jeremy Willis.

Wⁿ Hedg v. Ensigne Walker and Mr. Ed: Tomlins.

Willia Comins v. James Smith.

Edm. Bridgs of Saugus v. Wⁿ Ballard.

Jn^o Pike, atty for Mr. Eson v. Mr. Humphreys, esq.

Tho: Pane of Saugus v. Nich: Poore.

"y^e master to make good his apparell as good as he found it, & his tyme to begin in England."

Geo: Wright v. Capten Lovell. Jeffery Massy and Robt Moulton to settle accounts between them.

Abram Whitheare v. Cp. Lovell.

Ric^r Beefer v. Geo. Burrell.

Court, 27: 4: 1637.

Present: Endicott, Mr. Roger Connant, and Mr. Hathorne.

Peter Palfrey's servant Jane Wheat whipped for killing his neighbor's poultry, for lying and loitering and running away from her master.

Mr. Woods' servant Isaack Robinson whipped for running away from his master very often and enticing others to run away.

Nicholas Cary reproved for extreme correction of his maid servant.

John Talbie's wife Dorothy, for frequent laying hands on her husband to the danger of his life, and contemning authority of the court, to be chained to a post until she repents.

Jury: Thomas Gardener, foreman, John Woodbury, Peter Palfrey, Thomas Olney,

Samuell More, Rich^r Raym^t, Thomas Talmadg, Henry Collins, Willia Andrews, Robt Driver, Willia Kinge and Robt Bottfish.

Civil cases:—

William Wood of Saugus v. Thomas Parker. Wit: Edw. Dillingham, Jn^o Poole, John Carman and Richard Chadwell.

John More of Salem v. John Gally. Referred to the town of Salem.

John Gillo of Saugus v. Christopher ffoster ibid.

Geo: Burrell of Saugus v. Mr. Humphreys, esq.

Garves Garford of Salem v. Geo. Roaps.

William Pester of Salem v. ffrances Dent.

[Two cases.]

William Pester ibid v. ffrances Perry.

Court, 3: 8 mo: 1637.

Present: Endicot, Mr. Jn^o Humphreys, Mr. Howe, Mr. Connant and Mr. Hathorne.

Marmeduk Barmston whipped for lying, burglary and running away.

Jury: Robt Molton, foreman, John Woodbury, Lieft. Davenport, Peter Palfrey, Edw: Batter, Tho: Olney, ffrances Weston, John Balch, Rich: Walker, Robt Driver, Willia Woods and Tho: Read.

Civil cases:—

Richard Inkersell v. Jn^o Norman.

Robt Molten atty here of Jn^o Grant v.

Mr. Isaack Allerton.

Archiball Thompson v. Cp. Lovell.

Isaac Allerton v. Michael Lambert.

Anthony Colebie of Ipswich v. John Hall of Saugus.

Court, 26: 10: 1637.

Present: Endicott, Mr. Humphreys, Mr. Connant and Mr. Hathorne.

Margaret Weston challenged three of the jurymen of Salem, Jeffery Massie, Edm: Batter and Anth: Dike.

Jury: Lawrence Leech, foreman, Lieft. Davenport, John Balch, Willia Allen, Rich: Brakenbury, Peter Palfrey, John Woodbury, Timo: Tomlins, Joseph Armetage, Henry Collins, Jenkin Davis and Ric^r Walker.

Civil cases :—

Isaack Allerton v. Mich Lambert.

Wⁿ Pester v. ffrances and Margret Weston. Defamation.

Lt. How v. Richard Chadwell.

ffrances Weston v. John Codman.

William Browne v. John Elford.

Thomas Antram v. Nicholas Cary.

Court, 27 : 1 : 1638.

Present : Col. Endicott, Mr. Humphreys, esq., Cp. Turner, Mr. Hathorne, Mr. Edw : Howe and Mr. Roger Connant.

John England whipped for eavesdropping, a common liar and running away from his master Poole of Saugus.

Richard Lambert fined and to sit in stocks for drunkenness.

Robt Morgan and Edward Hall, servant to Mr. ffreind, fined for "being over-seen in drink."

John Stone complains that Rich^r Hollinworth has not satisfied verdict of 1636 ; ordered that the trees be viewed by John Horne and Samuell Archer.

Thomas Fay sued Mr. Elias Stilman.

Thomas Gray and Abram Whitheire to sit in stocks for misdemeanors.

Jury : John Woodbury, foreman, Lawrence Leech, Peter Palfrey, Jeffery Massy, Rich^r Davenport, Thomas Venner, Geo : Norton, Joseph Redknapp, ffrances Lightfoot, Thom : Parker, Willia Hedges and Jn^o Ramsden.

Civil cases :—

Wⁿ Swifte v. Richard Hollinworth.

Mrs. Daniell v. Richard Beckly.

Abram Warren v. Peter Burrett.

Jacob Chapman of Boston v. Edmund Audley.

Court, 26 : 4 : 1638.

Present : Col. Endicott, Mr. Edw : Howe, Mr. Willia Hathorne, Mr. Willia Ballard and Mr. Roger Connant.

Mr. Burrell fined and to sit in stocks at Lynn next training day there for uncleanness, etc.

John Legg, for uncleanness, to sit in stocks at Lynn training day with said Burrell, and make confession in church.

Willia Edmonds' wife to confess her sin before the congregation.

Robt Key to sit in stocks at Lynn and Cambridge for unseemly behavior toward Goody Newell.

Marmeduke Barton, servant of ffrances Weston, to be whipped and a lock put upon his foot for running away from his master and filing off his lock.

Peter Buscott, smith, to sit in stocks for contemning authority of court.

Elias Stilman fined for absence from jury.

Thomas Oliver and his wife Mary to answer at Boston.

Jury : John Woodbury, foreman, Jeffery Massy, Law : Leech, Peter Palfrey, Elias Stilman, Thom : Venner, Wills Allen, Rich : Raym^t, Henry ffeack, Wills : Wood, Joseph Armetage and Rich : Johnson.

Civil cases :—

William Vincent v. Michael Lambert.

Slander. "Tho : Chadwell being absent Court Lett fale."

John Leech and Wⁿ Vincent v. Ide Pride. Slander.

Wⁿ Browne v. Tho : Scruggs.

Mary Maxell v. Geo : Burrell.

Michael Sallowes v. James Smith. Defamation.

Willia Pester v. Rich : Lambert.

Edm : Grover v. Tho : Scruggs and wⁿ Alford.

Antho : Buxton v. John Pride.

James Smith v. Peter Buscott.

Tho : Oliver v. Peter Buscott.

Court, 25 : 7 : 1638.

Present : Col. Endicott, Mr. Howe, Mr. Connant, Mr. Ballard and Mr. Hathorne.

Dorathy, wife of John Talbie whipped for misdemeanors against her husband.

"the right worship^l Collonell John Endicot's" servant William Poole whipped, etc., for running away from his master.

Jury : Lieft. Davenport, foreman, John Woodbury, Jefferey Massy, Phillip Virrin, Jacob Barney, Peter Palfrey, Ensigne Reade, Nicholas Browne, Henry Collins, Joseph Armetage, Richard Johnson and Joseph Redknapp.

Civil cases :—

Robert Quodnam v. Henry Harwood.
 Mr. Haugh v. Cp. Turner.
 Richard Chadwell v. Daniell How.
 Mr. Houlgraue v. Tho : Howes.
 Abram Temple v. "y^e worshipful m^r John
 Humphreys, m^r Hows & m^r Hauks,
 trespass by their horses."
 John Pride v. Anthony Buxton.
 Hugh Browne v. Tho : Howes.
 Stephen Batchler v. Richard Chadwell.
 James Molton v. Mr. Howes and Mr. Hauks.
 James Hinds v. Mr. Hows and Mr. Hauks.
 Henry Skerry v. Mr. Howes and Mr.
 Hauks.

Court, 25 : 10 : 1638.

Present : Col. Endicott, Lt.-col. Winthroe, Mr. Hathorne and Mr. Connant.

Richard Graues and Peter Busgutt to sit in stocks for breach of the peace, and Busgutt whipped for contemning court and Mr. Newell.

Mathew Reade, servant to Mr. Charls Gott, whipped for drunkenness, pilfering from his master, etc.

Jane, wife of Joshua Verrin presented for absence from religious worship. Mr. Peter requested time to confer with her again.

Jury : Liefte Davenport, foreman, John Woodbury, Jeffery Massy, Jacob Barney, Ed : Batter, Lawrence Leech, John Balch, John Smith, Joseph Armetage, Thomas Parker, Willia Knight and Jarrett Spencer [the last five being of Lynn].

Civil cases :—

John ffreind v. Hugh Browne.
 Georg Ching of Marblehead v. Peter Busgut.

[Letter of John Lyon dated, Marblehead, Feb. 16, 1638, and addressed to "Right worshipfull," on file. The following is the signature :
 Court willed *John Lyon*
 Jn^o Lyon,
 Jn^o Hardy and Geo. Vicass to certify what was in their hands 25 : 1 : 1639.
 Ordered for Tho : Tuck in part payment of his dues.—Files.]

John ffarington de Lyn v. Jn^o Hale.
 Isaack Disberoe v. Ann Burt. She was absent and her husband Hugh Burt answered for her.

ffrancis Linford, by his attorney Tho : Brook v. Hugh Norman.

"The worship^l Jn^o Humphreys Esq^r," Jn^o Winthrop, esq., and Mr. Hugh Peter v. Phillip Kertland ; action of debt due to ffrancis Dent.

Richard Graves v. Peter Busgut [2 suits].
 Defamation.

Sargant Dixie v. Geo : Wright and Rich : Graves.

William Vinson v. Geo : Willia.

Isaack Disberoe v. Hugh Burt. Defamation.

Richard Hollinworth v. Raph Ellinwood.

Isaack Disberoe v. Nath : Kertland.

Raph flogg v. Ensign Read.

Worship^l. Jn^o. Humphrey, esq., had attachment against person of Peter Busgutt.

Court, 25 : 1 : 1639.

Present : Colonel Endicot, Mr. Hathorne and Mr. Connant.

Jury : Jn^o. Woodbury, foreman, William Clarke, Henry Birdsall, Jn^o. Holgrave, Joseph Batchler, Georg Williams, Peter Woolfe, Joseph Hermitage, Richard Johnson, ffrancis Lightfoote, Robt Driver and Robt Parsons [the last five being of Lynn].

Civil cases :—

William Vincent v. William Bennet.

Abram Temple v. William Browne [2 suits].

Willia Browne v. Abram Temple.

Court, 25 : 4 : 1639.

Present : John Winthrop, sr., Gov., John Endecott, Col., John Winthrop, jr., Lt., Col. John Humphreys, esq., Emanuel Downing, esq., Mr. Thomas Willes, Mr. Willia Hathorne and Mr. Edward Hollioche.

Hope, an Indian living with Mr. Hu : Peter, whipped for running away and being drunk.

Edwi Audley to answer charges.

Abram Warren bound to good behavior.

Mr. Anthonie Thatcher complains that Jane James took things from his house. She and her husband Erasmus James bound for her good behavior.

"The boys to be whiped by the Governo^r of the ffamilie wher the had offended."

Mr. Gervas Garford hired a cow of John Pease for a year; Pease being then absent, Garford was ordered to keep the cow till Pease returned.

"m^r Holloick in behalf of the Lord Brooks, by m^r Ballards agreem^t ordered to pay 50s. per hire of a yoke of oxen for 3 months to Rich^r Hutchinson."

Jury: Lieft. Davenport, foreman, Robert Molton, John Alderman, Jeffery Massy, Jacob Barney, Georg Norton, John Gidney, Rich^r Sadler, Thomas Layton, Joseph Armetage, Jenkin Davis and ffrancs Lighfoot [the last five being of Lynn].

Civil cases:—

John Pickeringe of Salem v. Richard Lambert.

Phillip Verrin v. Joseph Pope. Referred to Mr. Hathorne and Mr. Sharpe.

ffrancs Perry and Jane Perry v. Phillip Virrin and wife Dorcas. Defamation.

John Tarbx v. Daniell Salmon.

John Leech v. John Pride.

John Leech v. Ric^t. Graves. Lt. Col. Winthrop promises to pay the debt.

John Humphreys, esq. v. Ed. Audley.

John Goit v. Isaack Disberoe.

Elizabeth Pitt v. Daniell Salmon.

[Elizabeth Pitts was of Dorchester. The following is hersignature to a receipt for £5, 21:

Elizabeth Pitts

9: 1639.—*Files.*]

Court, 24: 7: 1639.

Present: Colonel Endecott, Mr. Emanuel Downing, Mr. W^m Hathorne, Mr. Edw: Hollioche and Mr. Tho: Willes.

Edward Audley fined for buying a sow fraudulently.

Mary Olliver sentenced to prison at Boston indefinitely for her speeches at the arrival of some new comers. Thomas Olliver bound for his wife's appearance at next court in Boston.

George Harris fined for stopping poundage of swine.

Jury: Lieftenant Davenport, foreman, Robt Molton, Thos: Gardener, Jervas Garford, Jefferey Massy, Thomas ffenner, Bonifac Burton, Joseph Armetage, ffrancs Lightfoote, Jarret Spencer, Michael Spencer and Richard Johnson.

Civil cases:—

Thomas Olliver v. Geo: Harrys. "acording to ord. of Towne Jn^o. Woodberry."

Joan Tapp v. James Smith and wife. Defamation.

Thomas Couldham of Lynn v. Thomas Seire of Lynn. Wit: Josias Stanborough and Boniface Burton.

Hugh Burt of Lynn v. Isaack Disberoe.

Jeffery Estie of Salem v. Ric^t Hollinworth.

Edmund Thompson v. "The wo^rp^l Jn^o Humphreys Esq^m" Wit: Jn^o Abbie and Daniell ffairefield; "by warrant Jn^o marston Launslot West Jn^o more, & Jere: Vale."

John Pickering v. Richard Lambert.

James Moulton v. "y^e wo^rp^l Jn^o Humphrey Esq^r."

James Vanderwood v. "y^e wo^rp^l Jn^o Humphrey Esq^m"

John Prid v. W^m Vinsent.

[Bill in favor of John Pride. Bound to Mr. Walton. To "2 weekes worke with John Leach" 12s. "To Mis Goofe" 2s. What "he pd my moth^r 6^s".—*Files.*]

Ric^t Inkersell v. Jacob Barney. Upon motion of Colonel Endecott, Jeffery Massy and others ordered to lay out lands of defendant.

Daniell Salmon's person to be attached for a debt. Joseph Armetage and Garret Spencer bound that he pay Mrs. Pitts.

To be continued.

ANGIER NOTE.

Jonathan Angier was of Salem in 1668.—*Savage.*

SABBATH DAY REMINISCENCES.

Our morning sacrifice we made, then to the house
 of God,
 How solemnly, and silently, and cheerfully we
 trod!
 I see e'en now its ancient roof, its aisles that
 stretched away,
 And our old pastor's time-worn face, and hair of
 silver gray.
 How well do I remember the hush throughout
 the air
 While he led our spirits up to God, in heartfelt,
 melting prayer;
 To grace his action or his voice, no studied charm
 was lent—
 Pure, fervent, glowing from the heart, so to the
 heart it went.
 Then came the sermon, long and quaint, but full
 of Gospel truth;
 Ah me! I was no judge of that, for I was then
 a youth;
 But I have heard my father say—and well my
 father knew—
 In it was meat for full-grown men, and milk for
 children, too.

REV. ISAAC BRAMAN.

Rev. Isaac Braman was born in Norton, Mass., July 5, 1770. His father died when Isaac was but twelve years of age. He had an early and great desire for a liberal education, but his guardian would not accede to his wishes; and Isaac was near his nineteenth year when, having overcome the obstacles in his way, he began preparation for college. He graduated from Harvard University in 1794, at the age of twenty-four, his social standing and scholarship while in college having high rank.

He chose the ministry for a profession, and studied theology with several clergymen. He was ordained over the Congregational church in the West parish of Rowley (which was incorporated as the town of Georgetown in 1838) June 7, 1797. At that time the church was divided in doctrine between Hopkinsianism and Calvinism, and Mr. Braman was the sixty-fourth candidate. But he braved the "sea of troubles," as he called it, for sixty-one years, held the people together, and lived harmoniously with three colleagues, the last being Rev. Charles

Beecher (half-brother of Rev. Henry Ward Beecher), who became his successor.

Mr. Braman died in office Dec. 26, 1858, at the age of eighty-eight. His remains lie in the old burial ground in Georgetown, and over them was erected, by his parishioners and friends, a marble monument, representing a desk with an open Bible thereon.

Mr. Braman was a man of strong mind, sound judgment, integrity, discretion and moral courage; was possessed of real piety and great amiability; and was well versed in theology, being a firm believer in the entire inspiration of the Scriptures, and an able and strong supporter of primitive Congregationalism. He was beloved by his people, and he gave to them his strong and sincere affection. Although a man of considerable presence, his clear blue eyes had a tender gleam that moderated his dignified bearing.

Mr. Braman was a conservative man, and could hardly be drawn into discussion, which he always disliked.

As a preacher he presented truth with clearness, and an application to the conscience. He wrote two sermons each week, composing them very carefully, and in their delivery was closely confined to the manuscript, which he read rapidly but distinctly.

His sensitive temperament made him somewhat shy and reticent, and this probably was the cause of his brevity at wedding and funeral services. Yet beneath his manner was humor, and a keen, fine sarcasm which caused him to be known in college as "Razor."

On a farm of forty acres and a salary of three hundred and fifty dollars, Mr. Braman maintained his family, and gave his children the best education of the period. His son Milton P. Braman was an able divine, being settled in Danvers; and another son, Isaac G. Braman, became eminent as a physician.

Mr. Braman married twice, each time securing a pastor's true helper. His first wife was Hannah Palmer of Norton. She died in 1835; and he married, secondly,

Miss Sarah Balch of Newburyport, who survived him, and died in Georgetown in 1893, at the age of one hundred and two.

AMES GENEALOGY.

The name of AMES is also spelled in the Essex county records *Aimes*, *Eames*, *Eams*, *Emes*, *Emms* and *Ems*.

The ancestor of the Essex county family was

ROBERT AMES¹. He lived in Boxford; and was a husbandman. His homestead was an eighth of a mile westerly of the residence of John T. Wood in the West parish. He married Rebecca Blake of Boxford (then Rowley village), one of his nearest neighbors, in 1661. She was condemned as a witch Sept. 17, 1692, but was included in the general reprieve July 22, 1693. He died in Boxford July 22, 1693; and she died May 8, 1721, aged eighty-one.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 2—I. HANNAH², b. Dec. 18, 1661; m. Ephraim Foster of Andover about 1678; and was living in 1694.
- 3—II. DANIEL², b. April 7, 1663. *See below* (3).
- 4—III. ROBERT², b. Feb. 28, 1667-8. *See below* (4).
- 5—IV. JOHN², b. Oct. 11, 1670. *See below* (5).
- 6—V. DOROTHY², b. Dec. 20, 1674; m. Samuel Swan of Haverhill March 8, 1693-4; lived in Haverhill.
- 7—VI. JACOB², b. July 20, 1677; lived in Boston, mariner, in 1700.
- 8—VII. JOSEPH², b. Oct. 9, 1681. *See below* (8).
- 9—VIII. NATHAN, or NATHANIEL², b. in 1684; lived in Boxford; farmer; m. Mary (Spofford?) before 1710; he died, suddenly, Jan 11, 1765, aged eighty; and she d. July 17, 1765, aged seventy-eight.

3

DANIEL AMES², born in Boxford April 7, 1663. He lived in Boxford, and married Lydia Wheeler in Andover April 15, 1683.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 10—I. REEBECA³ (twin), b. Jan. 24, 1683-4.
- 11—II. LYDIA³ (twin), b. Jan. 24, 1683-4; "Lydia Eames of Ipswich, 1706".
- 12—III. SOLOMON³, b. Nov. 23, 1686.
- 13—IV. —MIEL (son)³, b. March 5, 1688.
- 14—V. —VID (son)³, b. Dec. 21, 1690.

- 15—VI. JETHRO³, b. Aug. 1, 1692; served in company of Capt. John Lovewell in the Indian fight at Pequaket in 1725.
- 16—VII. HANNAH³, b. March 25, 1693.

4

ROBERT AMES², born in Boxford Feb. 28, 1667-8. He was a husbandman; and lived in Boxford. He married Bethiah Gatchel of Seconke April 20, 16—. They were both living in 1695.

Child, born in Boxford:—

- 17—I. — (son)³, b. Feb. —, 1—.

5

JOHN AMES², born in Boxford Oct. 11, 1670. He was a farmer; and lived in Boxford until 1717, when he removed to Groton. He married Priscilla Kimball of Bradford Nov. —, 169—. She was living in 1724; and he was killed by the Indians in Groton at his own (a garrison) house July 24, 1726.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 18—I. JOHN³, b. Aug. 11, 1693; lived in Groton; m. Elizabeth —; had ten children; and d. July 30, 1743.
- 19—II. HANNAH³, b. Feb. 2, 1695; bapt. in Topsfield July 18, 1697.
- 20—III. — (dau.)³, b. March 25, 1698.
- 21—IV. JACOB³, b. March 20, 17—; bapt. Nov. 21, 1703; lived in Groton; m. Ruth Shattuck Nov. 14, 1727.
- 22—V. BETHIAH³, b. April 20, 17—; bapt. May 27, 1707.
- 23—VI. LYDIA³, b. Feb. 24, 17—; bapt. in April, 1710.
- 24—VII. STEPHEN³, b. Sept. 1, 1712; lived in Groton; m. Jane Robbins, in Groton, April 14, 1731; and had children.

8

JOSEPH AMES², born in Boxford Oct. 9, 1681. He was a farmer; and lived in Boxford. He married Jemima — before 1711; and died Dec. 27, 1753. She was his widow and of Boxford in 1758.

Children, born and of Boxford:—

- 25—I. ABNER³, b. Feb. 2, 1710-1; lived in Boxford (called of Bradford in one place); husbandman; and d. June 30, 1745.
- 26—II. JONATHAN³, b. Sept. 12, 1712. *See below* (26).
- 27—III. JOSEPH³, b. Jan. 20, 1713-4. *See below* (27).
- 28—IV. NATHAN³, b. Oct. 29, 1716. *See below* (28).

- 29—V. JACOB³, b. July 17, 1717. *See below* (29).
 30—VI. MOSES³, b. Feb. 8, 1718-9; husband-
 man; lived in Boxford; m. Rebecca
 Johnson of Andover June 11, 1752;
 and d. in Boxford Mar. 9, 1754. She
 survived him. They probably had no
 children.
 31—VII. MARY³, b. Sept. 25, 1720; d. June 24,
 1749, unmarried.
 32—VIII. JEMIMA³, b. Jan. 26, 1723-4; d., un-
 married, Jan. 3, 1745-6.
 33—IX. HANNAH³, b. Sept. 30, 1728; m. Jacob
 Buck of Haverhill May 7, 1752, and
 lived in Haverhill. She died in Ches-
 ter, N. H., March 18, 1809.

26

JONATHAN AMES³, born in Boxford Sept.
 12, 1712. He was a farmer; and lived
 in the West parish in Boxford, on the
 west side of the road leading from Wood's
 corner to the peg factory, the cellar being
 in a field on the edge of the woods. He
 married Elizabeth Blunt of Andover April
 20, 1738. She was tried for murdering
 the wife of her son Jonathan in 1769; but
 was acquitted, John Adams, afterward
 president of the United States, being her
 counsel. They sold the farm in the spring
 of 1770, and removed to Londonderry,
 N. H.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 34—I. SARAH⁴, b. Oct. 28, 1739; m. William
 Foster June 9, 1763.
 35—II. MIRIAM⁴, bapt. Nov. 8, 1741.
 36—III. JONATHAN⁴, bapt. Sept. 11, 1743; lived
 in Boxford until 1770; m. Ruth Per-
 ley of Linebrook parish, Ipswich,
 Dec. 19, 1768; and lived in his fa-
 ther's house, where their child was
 born in May, 1769, and where his
 wife died June 5, 1769, supposed to
 have been murdered. *See Antiqua-
 rian*, volume II, page 1.
 37—IV. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. July 28, 1745; d. Jan.
 2, 1748-9.
 38—V. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. Aug. 6, 1749; d. Sept.
 15, 1749.
 39—VI. ELIZABETH⁴, bapt. April 14, 1751; per-
 haps married Benjamin Barker Dec.
 15, 1774.

27

JOSEPH AMES³, born in Boxford Jan. 20,
 1713-4. He was a housewright; and
 lived in Haverhill. He married Miriam
 Clement Nov. 29, 1739, in Haverhill; and
 died in the spring of 1741. She survived
 him.

Child, born in Haverhill :—

- 40—I. MOSES⁴, b. Sept. 18, 1740; living in
 1755.

28

NATHAN AMES³, born in Boxford Oct.
 29, 1716. He was a blacksmith, and also
 a tiller of the soil; and lived in Bradford
 (probably in the East parish). He mar-
 ried Mary Burpey of Rowley May 6, 1735;
 and died in 1766. She married, secondly,
 Dea. Timothy Hardy May 22, 1775.

Children, born in Bradford :—

- 41—I. PRISCILLA⁴, b. April 2, 1736; m. Tim-
 othy Hardy, jr., Feb. 14, 1765.
 42—II. JEREMIAH⁴, b. Aug. 24, 1739. *See be-
 low* (42).
 43—III. REBECCA⁴, b. Jan. 5, 1745; m. William
 Tenney Feb. 14, 1765.
 44—IV. JOSEPH⁴. *See below* (44).
 45—V. MARY⁴, b. Oct. 29, 1748; of Bradford,
 spinster, in 1774.
 46—VI. NATHAN⁴, b. May 6, 1751; yeoman and
 lived in Bradford until about 1780,
 when he became a joiner and settled
 in New Boston, N. H., where he had
 early lived. He m. Sarah Richard-
 son of Newbury April 19, 1775. They
 were living in 1797.
 47—VII. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Oct. 8, 1753; living, 1769;
 perhaps m. Abraham Foster of Tops-
 field in May, 1783.
 48—VIII. MARTHA⁴, m. Joseph Rollins Nov. 5,
 1778.
 49—IX. BURPEE⁴, b. Dec. 3, 1758; cordwainer;
 and lived in Hollis, N. H., in 1784.

29

JACOB AMES³, born in Boxford July 17,
 1717. He was a yeoman; and lived in
 Boxford until about 1748, when he re-
 moved to Sutton. He married Anne
 Wallis of Salem (published Jan. 6, 1744).
 They were living in Sutton in 1762.

Child, born in Boxford :—

- 50—I. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Jan. 2, 1745-6.

42

JEREMIAH AMES⁴, born in Bradford Aug.
 24, 1739. He was a yeoman; and lived
 in Bradford until about 1770, when he
 settled in Hollis, N. H. He married
 Joanna (sometimes called *Jane*) Tenney
 March 5, 1761.

Children, born in Bradford :—

- 51—I. ALICE⁵, b. Oct. 8, 1762.
 52—II. MOSES⁵, b. Sept. 14, 1764.
 53—III. SARAH⁵, b. March 10, 1768.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF JOSEPH WOOD Y^e
SON OF ISRAELL &
EDETH WOOD WHO
DIED FEBRUARY Y^e
14th AGED 19 MONth
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Here lyeth ye body
of William Wood
the only Son of
Anthony & Eliza
Wood who died ye
1st of Augst 1737
Aged 14th years & 8
Months & A 11 days.

AN : 1688
ERER WOODBAY AGED
4 MoNTHS AND 4 DAS
AND DESECED 12 OF
JANVArY 88⁹

Abigail dau^r to
Ifaac & Abigail
Woodberry y^t
died October y^e
30th 1736 Aged
14 Months

HERE LYETH
y^e BODY OF
ANN WOODBURY
WIFE TO NICHOLAS
WOODBURY AGED
76 YEARS DIED
JUNE Y^e 10
1701

Here Lyeth y^e
Body of Anna
Wife to Josiah
Woodbury dau^{ter}
of Deacⁿ Ifrael &
M^{rs} Edeth Wood
Dec^d April 15th in
her 26th year 1737

MARY WOODBERRY
WIFE TO JSAAC
WOODBERRY AGED
ABOUT 53. YEARS
DIED DECEMBER Y^e
19th 1702;

DILUERANCE WOODBURY
AGED ABOUT 5
YEARS DIED MARCH
Y^e 22D 1683

ELIZABETH WOODBERRY
AGED ABOUT 1
YEARS DIED APREL
Y^e 23D 1688:

Here Lyeth y^e body
Ebenezer Woodbe^{ry}
y^e Son of Robert &
Mary Woodberry
Who died Nove^{mr} Y^e
19 1727 Aged
15 Years.

IN Memory of M^{rs}
ELISABETH WOODBERRY
Relict of
M^r JOSIAH WOODBERRY,
who departed this Life
June 5th 1790; In the
73^d year of her age.

*Death is a debt you all must pay,
It may soon sweep you all away:
Prepare yourselves for die you must
One day like me return to dust.*

HANNAH Y^e DAUG^R
OF WILIAM &
JOANNA WOODBERRY
AGED 14 MONTHES^s
DEC^p MARCH Y^e
16 1694

Here Lyes y^e Body
of Ifaac Woodbery
who died March y^e 10
1725 in y^e 83
year of his age.

ISAAC SON OF
M^r ISAAC & M^{rs}
ABIGAIL WOODBERRY
AGED 3 MONTHS
DIED SEPT 20:
1737

ISAAC SON TO
M^r ISAAC & M^{rs}
ABIGAIL WOODBERRY
BORN & DIED
M A y^e 7th

I 7 4 I

Here lies the Body of
ISAAC WOODBERRY,
son of M^r JAMES
WOODBERRY by M^{rs}
ABIGAIL WOODBERRY
his wife, Aged about 13
Months Dec^d March 27

I 7 6 7.

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF M^r
JAMES WOODBERRY
DIED SEP^R y^e 16th

I 7 5 0.

IN THE 24th YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

IN Memory of M^r
JAMES WOODBERRY,
who departed this
Life Feb^{ry} 23^d
1786 :

In the 81st year
of his age.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
IOANNA WOODBERRY
WIFE OF M^r
WILLIAM WOODBERRY
DIED APRIL 7th 1748
IN Y^e 77th YEAR
OF HER AGE.

IN Memory of
John Woodberry son
of Mr. Josiah & Mrs.
Sarah Woodbury,
who was accidentally
drowned Aug^t 11th
1795. Aged 3 years,
10 months & 22 days.

*The flesh rests here till Jesus come
And claims the treasure from the
(tomb.*

IN Memory of M^r
JOSEPH WOODBERRY,
who died Sep^t 21st
1772 ; Aged 33 years
Also Nehemiah, son of
the above Named Josiah (&
Martha his wife,) died Aug^t 30th
1777 : Aged 5 years. Likewise
Joseph their son died March : 29th
1763 : Aged 3 weeks : Both lie near.

IN Memory of M^r
JOSIAH WOODBERRY,
who departed this Life
Decem^r 22^d 1789 :
In the 79th year of
his age.

*Look and behold as you pass by,
Remember mortals you must die;
As I am now you soon may be,
Prepare for death & follow me.*

ERECTED
IN Memory of Mifs
LOES WOODBURY,
Daugh^t of M^r
WILLIAM WOODBURY,
who died Sep^t 19th
1774 : Aged 39 years.

Here Lieth y^e body of M^{rs}
Lydia Woodberry Wife
To M^r Josiah Woodberry
Who died August y^e 13th
1738 in y^e 25th year
of her Age Whose
Madin Name Was Green.

ERECTED
IN Memory of M^{rs}
MARTHA WOODBURY,
wife of M^r
WILLIAM WOODBURY,
who died April 27th
1775 ; Aged 75
years

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF M^{rs}
 MARY WOODBERRY
 WIFE OF CAP^t
 ROBERT WOODBERRY
 AGED 79 YEARS
 DIED DEC^r 6th
 1754.

HERE LYETH
 Y^e BODY OF
 NICHOLAS WOODBURY
 AGED ABOUT 69:
 YEARS DIED MAY
 Y^e 16 1686

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
 OF PETER WOODBERRY
 AGED 64 YEARS DIED
 JULY Y^e 5th
 1704.

* CAPT:
 ROBERT WOODBERRY
 the * ctober
 In the 75 1746
 of his Age.

HERE LIES THE
 BODY OF M^r
 ROBERT WOODBERRY
 DIED MAY Y^e 21st
 1750,
 IN THE 56th YEAR
 OF HIS AGE

In Memory of
 M^{rs} SARAH WOODBERRY
wife of
Mr JOSIAH WOODBERRY
Jun^r who departed this
 Life July 24th 1780 In
 the 23^d year of her age.

HERE LIES THE BODY
 OF M^r THOMAS
 WOODBERRY AGED
 48 YEARS DIED
 MAY 5, 1751.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
 OF WILLIAM WOOD
 BURY SON TO
 NICHOLAS & MAR
 WOODBURY WHO
 DIED MARCH Y^e 25th
 1718 AGED 33 YEAR^s.

In Memory of
 M^r WILLIAM WOODBURY 2^d,
 who departed this Life
 Nov^r 16th 1788:
 In the 93^d year
 of his age.

In Memory of
 M^r WILLIAM WOODBURY 3^d,
 who departed this life
 April 10th 179
 In the 68th year
 In the 93^d year
 of his age.

WOODBERRY
 OF M^r
 & M^{rs}
 * WOODBERRY
 ED 9 YEAR
 M^o DEC^p
 23^d 1736.

NOTES.

John Adams lived in Marblehead; fisherman; administration granted on his estate Feb. 7, 1804; children: John; Mary, married Thomas Forness Salkins of Marblehead April 21, 1778; was living in 1808; Nathaniel P.; Merriam; Elizabeth, married Thomas Martin, 3d, Jan. 16, 1785; and died before 1808.—*Marblehead town records and probate records.*

Rev. Solomon Adams of Middleton married Abigail Fisk of Waltham Sept. 16, 1794; he died in Middleton Sept. 4, 1813, aged fifty-two; children: Abigail, born Nov. 9, 1795; Solomon, born April 30, 1797; Polly, born Feb. 20, 1799; died Feb. 27, 1802, aged three; Horatio, born

*Broken

Feb. 20, 1801; John Sidney, born May 24, 1803; Charles, born May 3, 1805.—*Middleton town records.*

Joseph Adams lived in Marblehead; "shoreman"; married Elizabeth Andrews June 12, 1699; she probably died before 1723; his will was made May 1, 1723, and proved June 10, 1723; children, born in Marblehead: 1. John, baptized March 24, 1694-5. 2. Elizabeth, baptized May 19, 1695; d. young. 3. William, baptized Feb. 27, 1697-8. 4. John, baptized March 10, 1699-1700. 5. Mary, baptized Oct. 27, 1700. 6. Jacob, baptized Sept. 14, 1701; was of Marblehead in 1728, and probably removed to Falmouth, York county; mariner and fisherman; married Mary — before 1728. 7. Hannah, baptized July 18, 1703; married Richard Coward before 1723. 8. Elizabeth, born Nov. 22, 1705; married Aaron Beal of Marblehead Oct. 6, 1724; he was a fisherman. 9. Susanna, born Nov. 29, 1707 (baptized Oct. 12, 1707); m. Thomas Tucker of Marblehead March 10, 1725-6; he was a fisherman.—*Marblehead town and church records, etc.*

John Adams married Mary Pedrick Aug. 20, 1751.

Sarah, wife of John Adams admitted to church and baptized May 28, 1721.

—*Marblehead church records.*

John Adams married Eliz Carnes, both of Marblehead Oct. 11, 1692.

John Adams married Sarah White, both of Marblehead, May 1, 1718. He was a shoreman.

—*Marblehead town records.*

Capt. John Adams lived in Marblehead as early as 1743; mariner; administration granted on his estate Dec. (Sept.?) 27, 1759; married Anna Hyrich Nov. 14, 1751, who survived him, and married, secondly, — Malcolm before 1765; children: John; was a mariner; lived in Marblehead; administration granted on his estate Jan. 4, 1775; married Rebecca Kinsman June 11, 1769, who survived him, and was his widow in 1794 (she said that she was daughter of Mary Adams, daughter

of John Stacey); Mary, married Joseph Bubier of Marblehead April 19, 1759; and was his widow in 1796; Sarah, married, first, Stephen Stacey of Marblehead March 24, 1761; second, John Caswell of Marblehead before 1794. The heirs of this estate sold out to Joseph Bubier Adams of Marblehead, mariner, in 1794.—*Marblehead town records and probate records.*

Solomon Alden married Hannah Stone Sept. 10, 1795. He died May 4, 1815. Children: Hannah, born Oct. 10, 1795; Betsey, born May 25, 1797; John, born Feb. 23, 1799; Joseph, born Aug. 23, 1801; Solomon, born April 16, 1803; Mary, born Sept. 29, 1805; David, born Dec. 17, 1807; William, born March 30, 1810.

Lemarel Allen published to Sarah Vial, both of Lynn, Oct. 27, 1771.

—*Lynn town records.*

Trustram Elforde of Gloucester, September, 1664 aged about forty years.

Gilles Alley (?) witness to a bond in Salem, 1664.

Philip Alley of Marblehead presented for drunkenness 30: 10: 1645.

Peter Allyn of Andover went into the woods to work, in March, 1663-4, and, before June following, his remains were found by an Indian in Shawshin river; the jury of inquest finding that his death was caused by accidental drowning.

—*Quarterly court files, Salem.*

"MARBLEHEAD, November 7.

"Friday laft, in the Afternoon, an unruly Horfe being let loofe in the Street, kicked a Boy of about 5 Years old, and wounded him on the Breaft, in fuch a Manner, as that he died the next Morning. Query. *What is to be done with the Horfe?*

"About 7 o'Clock the fame Evening, Mr. *Pritchett*, a credible Inhabitant of this Town, left a Neighbour's Houfe, in Order to go Home, with two Earthen Plates which he had bought there; the Woman lighted him out, and begged him to be careful of the WELL; he answered, that he knew well enough where the Well was:

He had gone but two or three Steps in the Dark, before (as is supposed) he stumbled over a large Stone, near the Well, and he being lame, could not recover himself, but fell head-foremost into the Well, and was found next Morning, with his Head in the Mud, at the Bottom of the Well, and his Feet juſt out of Water. This, 'tis ſaid, is the ſecond Perſon that has perished in the ſame Well ! A loud call this, to the Selectmen of the Town, that they take Care that this and all other Wells in the Town, lying in the ſame unguarded and dangerous Condition, be properly ſecured, OR FILL'D UP."—*Essex Gazette, Nov. 1-8, 1768.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are ſolicited.

212. Wanted, ancestry of Elizabeth Clement who married, about 1770, Benjamin Wiggin of Hopkinton, N. H. She died July 24, 1780, aged thirty-one. She had a ſon Timothy.

New York City.

T. T. S.

213. Judah Rice, who, with his father, Beriah Rice of Westboro, Worcester county, Maſſ., removed to Nova Scotia during the Revolution, married, about 1748, Sarah Kelly, called of Leominster, Maſſ. Can anyone give me the pedigree of this Sarah Kelly or at leaſt names of her parents.

MRS. E. M. TOWNSEND.

Oyster Bay, Long Island.

214. Wanted, ancestry of Jonas Perry, born, Sandwich or Scituate, Nov. 11, 1757.

Chicago, Ill.

M. P. F.

215. Capt. Robert Stockell (or, Stokell, Stokle, Stogle) was published to Mary Brown in Boston Dec. —, 1743. I wiſh to learn the date of their marriage and Mary Brown's parentage. Their eldeſt ſon, John, was a ſhip maſter, and lived at Portsmouth, N. H., where he died Dec. —, 1831, at the age of eighty-seven. Capt. Robert Stockell alſo died at Portsmouth in 1764. His wife Mary ſurvived him, and married, ſecondly, Capt. William Fernald of Portsmouth, alſo a mariner,

and he died in 1793. She ſurvived him, and died, his widow, Oct. —, 1817.

Brooklyn, N. Y.

T. M. J.

ANSWERS.

121. Mary Tyler married James Manning, both of Salem, July 2, 1745. I do not find on record the marriage of Mary Tyler to John H. Reed in that year. Is the queriſt miſtaken as to the name of the husband? Mary Tyler was probably the Mary Tyler who was baptized in the Firſt church in Salem Jan. 21, 1727-8. Her parents were Joshua and Margaret (Lambard) Tyler, who were married in Salem Nov. 13, 1712. Mr. Tyler was a mariner, and adminiſtration was granted on his eſtate in 1735, his wife Margaret being appointed adminiſtratrix.—*Ed.*

203. Elizabeth Clement, born March 6, 1716-7, married Joſeph Haynes. She was probably daughter of Nathaniel Clement (born June, 1689) and Sarah Merrill (died July 10, 1748). He was ſon of John Clement (born Sept. 16, 1653; died May 16, 1692) and Elizabeth Ayers (or Ayer), who were married Feb. 22, 1676. He was ſon of Robert Clement and Elizabeth Fawne (or Fane) (died March 27, 1715), who were married Dec. 8, 1652. He was ſon of Robert Clement of Haverhill, who was born about 1590, and died Sept. 29, 1658. See Savage; History of Haverhill by Chase; and Old Families of Salisbury and Amesbury by Hoyt.—*T. T. S., New York City.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE OLD FARM HOUSE ON THE HILL. Song and muſic. By J. W. Lerman. Price, twenty cents. Published by Union Mutual Muſic and Novelty Co., 20 Eaſt 14th Street, New York City.

THE EARLY SCHOOLS OF BRAINTREE, MASS. By Samuel A. Bates. South Braintree, 1899. Paper; 12 mo; 35 pages. The author was for twenty-five years town clerk of Braintree. Published by Frank A. Bates, South Braintree, at twenty-five cents.

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MAP OF ESSEX COUNTY IN 1643.

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DESCENDANTS OF JOHN ANDREWS OF IPSWICH.

THE name of ANDREWS is also spelled in the Essex county records *Andduse*, *Andreas*, *Andres*, *Andress*, *Andrew*, *Andrewes*, *Androes*, *Andros*, *Andross*, *Androws* and *Andrus*.

LT. JOHN ANDREWS¹, born about 1618, lived in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, subsequently incorporated as Essex, in 1642 and afterwards, being a carpenter by trade, and most of his life a yeoman by occupation. Was imprisoned by Andros. He married Jane —; and died April 20, 1702. His wife was living in 1705.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 2—I. JOHN², b. about 1646. *See below* (2).
- 3—II. WILLIAM², b. about 1649. *See below* (3).
- 4—III. ELIZABETH², m. James Giddings of Ipswich; and was living in 1709.
- 5—IV. THOMAS², b. about 1654. *See below* (5).
- 6—V. JOSEPH². *See below* (6).

2

JOHN ANDREWS², born about 1646. He was a house carpenter, and lived in Chebacco parish. His wife was Judith (Belcher or Jordan) in 1703. He was living in 1716.

Child, born in Ipswich:—

- 7—I. ELIZABETH³, b. March 7, 1684-5.

3

ENS. WILLIAM ANDREWS², born about 1649. He lived in Chebacco parish; and married Margaret Woodward Oct. 21, 1672. He was a farmer; and died Feb. 7, 1715-6, aged sixty-seven. She survived him, and was his widow in 1723.

Children, born in Chebacco parish:—

- 8—I. WILLIAM³, b. Oct. 23, 1674; pub. to Elizabeth Curtis July 29, 1710; and was living in 1716.
- 9—II. JOHN³, b. Feb. 2, 1675-6. *See below* (9).

- 10—III. MARGARET³, m. Samuel Gott of Wenham (pub. June 26, 1697); and was living in 1716.
- 11—IV. EZEKIEL³, b. June —, 1680; mariner; m. Abigail Curtice Feb. 19, 1707-8; and both were living in Ipswich in 1723.
- 12—V. JONATHAN³. *See below* (12).
- 13—VI. ELIZABETH³, b. Jan. 15, 1684-5; d. Dec. 26, 1685.
- 14—VII. ELIZABETH³, m. Joshua Norwood Sept. 24, 1704; and was living in 1716.
- 15—VIII. ABIGAIL³, b. about 1687; m. Thomas Butler Aug. 29, 1704; and was living in 1716.
- 16—IX. RACHEL³, m. Zachariah Story (pub. July 4, 1714).
- 17—X. MIRIAM³, m. Nathaniel Rust (pub. Jan. 12, 1716-7).
- 18—XI. PATIENCE³, m. Benjamin Steward of Weymouth Feb. 6, 1719-20.
- 19—XII. SOLOMON³, b. Aug. 8, 1699. *See below* (19).

5

THOMAS ANDREWS², born about 1654. He served his father faithfully until his marriage; was a yeoman; and lived in Chebacco parish. He married Mary Belcher of Ipswich Feb. 9, 1681, and died March 22, 1718, aged sixty-four. His wife Mary survived him.

Children, born in Chebacco parish:—

- 20—I. THOMAS³. *See below* (20).
- 21—II. MARY³, m. Samuel Brown of Reading April 17, 1703; and they were living in Reading in 1721.

6

JOSEPH ANDREWS² was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married Sarah Ring Feb. 16, 1680; and died in 1724-5, his will, made Feb. 13, 1724-5, being proved March 5, 1724-5. His wife Sarah was living in 1714.

Children, born in Chebacco parish:—

- 22—I. JOSEPH³. *See below* (22).
 23—II. SARAH³, b. July 16, 1685; m. Thomas Giddings (pub. June 1, 1706); and was living in 1725.
 24—III. SUSANNA³, b. Aug. 16, 1687; m. — Foster before 1725.
 25—IV. JANE³, m. Zaccheus Hibberd of Lynn (pub. Oct. 15, 1720).
 26—V. JOHN³, b. June 1, 1691. *See below* (26).
 27—VI. HANNAH³, b. July 3, 1694; m. Edmund Marshall (pub. Oct. 15, 1715).
 28—VII. DOROTHY³, b. Nov. 23, 1697; m. Ebenezer Burnham of Gloucester (pub. Nov. 29, 1718); and was living in 1725.
 29—VIII. DANIEL³. *See below* (29).
 30—IX. LUCY³, m. Noah Smith Feb. 27, 1723-4.

9

DEA. JOHN ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, Feb. 2, 1675-6. He was a yeoman, and lived in his native parish. He married Elizabeth Story (published Jan. 4, 1706-7); and died March 16, 1752, "aged seventy-two." She survived him.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 31—I. ELIZABETH⁴, m. Abijah Wheeler Nov. 8, 1728; and was living in 1754.
 32—II. MARGARET⁴, m. James Perkins Dec. 14, 1732; and was living in 1751.
 33—III. ABIGAIL⁴, m. Jeremiah Burnam, jr., Dec. 2, 1756; and was living in 1751.
 34—IV. DORCAS⁴, m. James Ely of Lyme, Conn., April 6, 1742.
 35—V. JOHN⁴. *See below* (35).
 36—VI. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. April 24, 1726. *See below* (36).
 37—VII. JEREMIAH⁴, bapt. Jan. 1, 1726-7. *See below* (37).
 38—VIII. CALEB⁴, bapt. April 7, 1728.
 39—IX. RUAMMI⁴, bapt. Aug. 31, 1729; m. Daniel Low (pub. Oct. 27, 1748); and was living in 1751.
 40—X. JONATHAN⁴, bapt. July 14, 1734; perhaps d. young.

12

JONATHAN ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He was a blacksmith; and lived in his native parish until 1733, when he removed to Scarborough, York county, Maine. He married Sarah Smith (published Dec. 6, 1718); and they were living in Scarborough in 1742.

Children:—

- 41—I. AMOS⁴.
 42—II. JONATHAN⁴.
 43—III. SARAH⁴, bapt. July 24, 1726, in Ipswich; d. young.

- 44—IV. LYDIA⁴, bapt. Sept. 29, 1728, in Ipswich.
 45—V. MIRIAM⁴, bapt. Sept. 10, 1732, in Chebacco parish.
 46—VI. NATHAN⁴, bapt. July 28, 1734, in Scarborough.
 47—VII. SARAH⁴, bapt. May 13, 1739, in Scarborough; m. Silvanus Scott Oct. 20, 1757.

19

SOLOMON ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, Aug. 8, 1699. He was a blacksmith; and lived in his native town until 1750, when he may have removed to Concord, where a Solomon Andrews was living in 1761 and 1765. He married Elizabeth Ingals Oct. 27, 1726, and she was his wife in 1749.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 48—I. SOLOMON⁴, b. Sept. 9, 1727; lived in Ipswich; m. Ruth Low Nov. 24, 1748; administration granted on his estate Nov. 23, 1759. His wife Ruth survived him, and m., secondly, Bramsley Wells Dec. 13, 1759.
 49—II. ISAAC⁴, b. Jan. 18, 1729-30; settled in Hillsborough, N. H.
 50—III. ELIZABETH⁴, b. April 21, 1732.
 51—IV. STEPHEN⁴, b. Nov. 2, 1734; sea captain; settled in Blue Hill, Maine.
 52—V. AMMI⁴, b. April 13, 1737; husbandman; lived in Chelmsford, Mass., in 1761; and removed to Hillsborough, N. H., about 1766; m. Mary Brown of Ipswich; soldier in Revolution; she d. March 31, 1820, a Shaker, at Enfield; and he d. March 30, 1833, aged ninety-seven. They had nine children.
 53—VI. NEHEZIAH⁴, b. June 5, 1739; lived in Billerica.
 54—VII. EDMUND⁴, b. Jan. 9, 1741; lived in Carlisle.
 55—VIII. ISAACHER⁴, b. Dec. 25, 1744; lived in Billerica.
 56—IX. ABRAHAM⁴, b. Sept. 7, 1747; officer in Revolution; lived in Billerica, Mass., and Lovell, Me.; m., first, Esther Stearns of Billerica Oct. 19, 1773; she d. in Lovell March 1, 1799; m., second, widow Abigail (Cross) Carter of Fryeburg Sept. 21, 1804; she d. in Lovell Feb. 27, 1843; and he d. in Lovell July 13, 1823, aged seventy-five. He had seven children, and among his descendants are Geo. W. Andrews, esq., of Denver, Col., Dr. Abraham D. Andrews of River Falls, Wis., Hon. George P. Andrews of New York city, justice of the supreme

court of New York, Dr. Edward Ballard of River Falls, Wis., Dr. John A. Ballard of La Crosse, Wis., Seward S. Stearns, esq., of Norway, Maine, Augustine V. Barker, esq., of Ebensburg, Pa., Hon. Marcellus Stearns of Atlantic, Iowa, and Henry F. Andrews, esq., and Dr. Charles H. Andrews of Exira, Iowa.

57—X. RUAMMI⁴, b. Dec. 13, 1749.

20

THOMAS ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He was a yeoman, and lived in his native parish. He married, first, Mary Smith (published April 8, 1711). She died March 31, 1731; and he married, second, widow Rebecca Gould Dec. 8, 1731. He died Feb. 13, 1745-6. His wife Rebecca survived him, and died in Ipswich July 1, 1751.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 58—I. MARY⁴, m. Stephen Burnam Nov. 6, 1735.
- 59—II. HANNAH⁴, m. Joseph Lufkin of Gloucester Nov. 28, 1738.
- 60—III. ELIZABETH⁴, m. Robert Day (pub. Sept. 8, 1744).
- 61—IV. GEORGE⁴. *See below (61).*
- 62—V. THOMAS⁴. *See below (62).*
- 63—VI. DAVID⁴. *See below (63).*

22

JOSEPH ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He was a yeoman, and lived in his native parish. He married Hannah Butler Nov. 1, 1704, and she was his wife in 1729. Administration was granted on his estate May 3, 1762.

Children, born in Chebacco parish:—

- 64—I. LUCY⁴, b. about 1722; d. Feb. 23, 1728, aged five years.
- 65—II. JOSEPH⁴, b. Sept. 25, 1729. *See below (65).*

26

JOHN ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, June 1, 1691. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married, first, Elizabeth Wallis of Gloucester Dec. 6, 1716; and, second, Margaret Crafts Nov. 7, 1757. He died Oct. —, 1762; and his wife Margaret survived him.

Children:—

- 66—I. JOHN⁴, b. about 1717. *See below (66).*

67—II. EUNICE⁴, m. Joseph Giddings of Lyme, Conn., Oct. 28, 1737; and they were living in New Fairfield, Conn., in 1764.

68—III. JOSHUA⁴, b. about 1723. *See below (68).*

69—IV. CALEB⁴. *See below (69).*

70—V. JONATHAN⁴. *See below (70).*

71—VI. JAMES⁴. *See below (71).*

29

DANIEL ANDREWS³, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He was a fisherman, and lived in his native parish. He married Frances Smith (published Aug. 5, 1721); and died before April 6, 1747. She survived him, and died, his widow, Jan. 3, 1769, aged sixty-nine.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 72—I. DANIEL⁴, upward of fourteen years old in 1738.
- 73—II. JEREMIAH⁴, bapt. March 20, 1725-6. *See below (73).*
- 74—III. STEPHEN⁴, bapt. Oct. 15, 1732; living in 1747.
- 75—IV. LYDIA⁴, bapt. Nov. 9, 1735.

35

DEA. JOHN ANDREWS⁴, born in Ipswich. He was a mariner and blacksmith, and lived in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He married Mary Emerson May 20, 1742, and died in Ipswich March 25, 1753. His wife survived him, and was his widow in 1772.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 76—I. STEPHEN⁵, bapt. March 6, 1742-3, was living in 1772, and died before 1776.
- 77—II. MARY⁵, bapt. Feb. 24, 1744-5; m. Samuel Hadlock of Gloucester Nov. 10, 1768; and they were living in 1776.
- 78—III. JOHN⁵, bapt. May 17, 1747; lived in Ipswich, 3d, fisherman, 1774.
- 79—IV. ELIZABETH⁵, bapt. Feb. 26, 1748-9; m. John Kirby of Gloucester July 9, 1769; and she was living in 1776.
- 80—V. SARAH⁵, bapt. Aug. 25, 1751; m. Thomas Cole March 24, 1774; and she was his widow in 1776.

36

BENJAMIN ANDREWS⁴, baptized in Ipswich April 24, 1726. He was a fisherman, and lived in Manchester. He married Lucy Lee of Manchester Sept. 6, 1753, and was living in 1762.

Children, born in Manchester:—

- 81—I. EZEKIEL⁵, b. July 25, 1754.

- 82—II. LUCY⁵, b. May 23, 1756.
 83—III. —THY⁵, b. July 25, 1758.
 84—IV. MOLLY⁵, b. Aug. 1, 1760.

37

JEREMIAH ANDREWS⁴, baptized in Ipswich Jan. 1, 1726-7. He lived in Manchester after his marriage with Lydia Knowlton of Manchester March 19, 1750-1.

Children, born in Manchester :—

- 85—I. LYDIA⁵, b. Sept. 4, 1752.
 86—II. MOLLY⁵, b. Nov. 4, 1760.

61

GEORGE ANDREWS⁴, born in Ipswich. He was a yeoman, and lived in Chebacco parish in his native town. He married Eunice Adams (published March 28, 1747); and they were living in Chebacco in 1762.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 87—I. THOMAS⁵, b. July 8, 1749.
 88—II. MARY⁵, b. April 28, 1751.
 89—III. SAMUEL⁵, b. April 25, 1754.
 90—IV. EUNICE⁵, b. March 14, 1755; d. in Ipswich, of fever, May 18, 1776, unmarried.
 91—V. GEORGE⁵, b. March 25, 1757.
 92—VI. ELIZABETH⁵, b. May 14, 1759.
 93—VII. NATHANIEL⁵, b. Sept. 13, 1761.
 94—VIII. MARTHA⁵, bapt. Nov. 2, 1766.

62

THOMAS ANDREWS⁴, born in Ipswich. He was a yeoman, and lived in his native town. He married Mary Burnham Oct. 28, 1741.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 95—I. THOMAS⁵, b. July 8, 1744.
 96—II. LUCY⁵, b. July 24, 1746.
 97—III. JACOB⁵, b. Feb. 18, 1748. *See below* (97).
 98—IV. AARON⁵, b. March 26, 1750. *See below* (98).
 99—V. MOSES⁵, b. Aug. 10, 1763.

63

DAVID ANDREWS⁴, born in Ipswich. He was a cordwainer, and lived in his native town. He married, first, Lucy Fuller (published May 4, 1745). She died March 19, 1767; and he married, second, Elizabeth Lord (published May 14, 1768). Elizabeth was his wife in 1772. His will, dated July 18, 1801, was proved April 4, 1807.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 100—I. LUCY⁵, bapt. July 19, 1747; m. Francis Fulcifer, jr. (pub. Nov. 11, 1769), and was living in 1808.
 101—II. MARY⁵, bapt. May 5, 1751; m. James Smith, jr., May 30, 1782, and was living in 1808.
 102—III. SARAH⁵, bapt. March 6, 1757; m. Thomas Spiller Nov. —, 1779; and d. before 1801.
 103—IV. WILLIAM FULLER⁵, bapt. Sept. 26, 1761; had his father's homestead in Ipswich, on which he lived; yeoman; m. Joanna Hodgkins June 3, 1788; and was living in 1808.
 104—V. HANNAH⁵, bapt. Jan. 25, 1763; d., unmarried, in 1813; lived in Ipswich.
 105—VI. ELIZABETH⁵, bapt. April 1, 1770; m. Benjamin Averill Oct. 15, 1791; and was living in 1808.

65

JOSEPH ANDREWS⁴, born in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, Sept. 25, 1729. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married Rachel Burnham Jan. 1, 1751-2. He died April 16, 1806; and she died, his widow, in Ipswich, Feb. 22, 1809, aged seventy-eight.

Children, born in Ipswich ;—

- 106—I. HANNAH⁵, b. April 15, 1753; m. Jacob Perkins July 28, 1774; and was living in 1797.
 107—II. ISAAC⁵, b. May 11, 1755. *See below* (107).
 108—III. JOSEPH⁵, b. April 23, 1757. *See below* (108).
 109—IV. RACHEL⁵, b. March 27, 1759; m. William Burnham March 24, 1785; and was living in 1797.
 110—V. RUTH⁵, b. Jan. 1, 1762; d., of fever, Sept. 30, 1778, aged sixteen.
 111—VI. LEVI⁵, b. Nov. 16, 1764; living in 1797.
 112—VII. LUCY⁵, bapt. Dec. 14, 1766; not living in 1797.
 113—VIII. RHODA⁵, b. June 14, 1769; unmarried in 1797.
 114—IX. ELIAS⁵, b. Feb. 18, 1772; his father devised his real estate to him; yeoman; living in Ipswich, 1806; m. Martha Lufkin Feb. 7, 1799.
 115—X. MOSES⁵, b. Nov. 11, 1774; and was living in 1797.

66

JOHN ANDREWS⁴, born about 1717. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married, first, Mary Burnham Jan. 5, 1741-2. He married, second, Martha

Cogswell March 1, 1747-8. He died, suddenly, May 3, 1779; and she died, his widow, Dec. 23, 1809, of old age, aged ninety-one.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 116—I. AMOS^b, b. May 31, 1743. *See below* (116).
 117—II. JOHN^b, b. April 20, 1745. *See below* (117).
 118—III. MARTHA^b, b. Feb. 1, 1748-9; probably married Jeremiah Kinsman, jr., Nov. 16, 1769.
 119—IV. WILLIAM^b, bapt. Aug. 19, 1759.

68

JOSHUA ANDREWS^t, born about 1723. He lived in Ipswich, was a fisherman, and married, first, Prudence Marshall Feb. 27, 1745-6. She died Oct. 10, 1773, aged fifty-six; and he married, second, Lucy Low Feb. 24, 1774. He died, of gravel, March 28, 1776, aged fifty-two; and Lucy was his widow in 1784.

Children, baptized in Chebacco parish:

- 120—I. ELIZABETH^b, bapt. May 10, 1747; d. young.
 121—II. JOSHUA^b, bapt. Aug. 14, 1748.
 122—III. EUNICE^b, bapt. March 31, 1751.
 123—IV. BENJAMIN^b, bapt. Sept. 2, 1753. *See below* (123).
 124—V. ELIZABETH^b (twin), bapt. April 17, 1757.
 125—VI. MARY^b (twin), bapt. April 17, 1757.
 126—VII. PRUDENCE^b, bapt. Oct. 1, 1758; m. William Bennett of Sandown Oct. 19, 1779.
 127—VIII. LUCY^b, bapt. Nov. 13, 1774; m. John Shappon of Wenham June 1, 1798.
 128—IX. ELEAZAR CRAFT^b, bapt. Jan. 5, 1777; m. Mary Dodge, both of Wenham (pub. Sept. 13, 1800).

69

CALEB ANDREWS^t was a yeoman, and lived in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He married Anna Marshall Dec. 20, 1750, and she was his wife in 1797. He died in 1806, his will being proved Nov. 3, 1806.

Children, born in Chebacco parish:—

- 129—I. HANNAH^b, bapt. Nov. 5, 1752; unmarried, 1797.
 130—II. ANNA^b, bapt. Sept. 29, 1754; m. Aaron Eveleth June 8, 1778, and was living in 1797.
 131—III. RUTH^b, bapt. May 22, 1757; m. James Stevens April 13, 1786; and was living in 1797.
 132—IV. BETHIAH^b, bapt. Aug. 19, 1759; unmarried in 1797.

133—V. ELIZABETH^b, bapt. July 4, 1762; m. Samuel Quimby Sept. 15, 1796.

134—VI. REBECCA^b, bapt. July 22, 1764; unmarried, 1797.

135—VII. SUSANNA^b, unmarried, 1797.

136—VIII. CALEB^b, b. Sept. 6, 1768; living in 1797.

137—IX. SOLOMON^b, lived in Ipswich, fisherman, 1796.

70

JONATHAN ANDREWS^t, lived in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, and was a fisherman and yeoman. He married Anne Story April 16, 1761, and administration was granted on his estate Nov. 2, 1784. She survived him, and was his widow in 1795.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 138—I. EUNICE^b, m. Moses Burnham April 6, 1799; and was living in 1823.
 139—II. ELIZABETH^b, bapt. Feb. 27, 1763; and was living in 1823.
 140—III. DANIEL^b, died before 1823.
 141—IV. JONATHAN^b, bapt. July 22, 1764. *See below* (141).
 142—V. LOIS^b, bapt. Nov. 10, 1765; m. — Rider before 1823.
 143—VI. ANNA^b, m. Joshua Burnham April 28, 1796.
 144—VII. ELEAZER^b, fisherman; lived in Ipswich and had children, being alive in 1823.
 145—VIII. DAVID^b, of Ipswich, fisherman, 1795; living in 1823.
 146—IX. SARAH^b, probably unmarried in 1823.
 147—X. MOSES^b. There was probably a son Moses, who died before 1823.

71

JAMES ANDREWS^t was a fisherman, and lived in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He married Sarah Burnham Sept. 2, 1745. Administration was granted on his estate Oct. 13, 1760. She survived him, and was his widow in 1762.

Children, born in Chebacco parish:—

- 148—I. JAMES^b, bapt. Oct. 20, 1745; d. young.
 149—II. JAMES^b, bapt. Jan. 16, 1747. *See below* (149).
 150—III. SARAH^b, bapt. Sept. 29, 1751; living in 1762.
 151—IV. JACOB^b, bapt. March 17, 1754.
 152—V. ELIZABETH^b, bapt. July 18, 1756.
 153—VI. ISRAEL^b, bapt. Dec. 2, 1759.

73

JEREMIAH ANDREWS^t, baptized in Ipswich March 20, 1725-6. He was a yeoman; and lived in Ipswich until about 1759, when he settled in Concord, Mass.

He married Lucy Rust March 13, 1745-6.

Children, baptized in Ipswich :—

- 154—I. LUCY⁵, bapt. Jan. 15, 1748-9.
- 155—II. HANNAH⁵, bapt. Nov. 25, 1750.
- 156—III. KATHARINE⁵, bapt. Feb. 18, 1753.
- 157—IV. JEREMIAH⁵, bapt. April 10, 1757.

97

JACOB ANDREWS⁵, born in Ipswich Feb. 18, 1748. He lived in Chebacco parish, Ipswich. He married Sarah Tyler (published July 15, 1772).

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 158—I. JACOB⁶, b. Oct. 19, 1772.
- 159—II. WILLIAM⁶, b. Sept. 22, 1774.
- 160—III. EBENEZER⁶, b. Oct. 22, 1776.
- 161—IV. MARY⁶, b. Oct. 29, 1778.
- 162—V. TYLER⁶, b. Nov. 4, 1781.
- 163—VI. DANIEL⁶, b. Jan. 27, 1784.
- 164—VII. SAMUEL⁶, b. April 19, 1786.
- 165—VIII. MOSES⁶, b. April 19, 1788.
- 166—IX. SALLY⁶, b. May 22, 1791.
- 167—X. ABIGAIL⁶, b. Nov. 14, 1793.

98

AARON ANDREWS⁵, born in Ipswich March 26, 1750. He was a mariner, lived in Manchester in 1784, and removed to Gloucester. He married Mary Ford Jan. 5, 1772.

Children, baptized in Gloucester :—

- 168—I. MOLLY GILBERT⁶, bapt. March 27, 1774.
- 169—II. ANNA⁶, bapt. June 9, 1776.
- 170—III. SALLY⁶, bapt. Dec. 7, 1777.
- 171—IV. AARON⁶, bapt. May 9, 1779; d. young.
- 172—V. WILLIAM⁶, bapt. June 22, 1781.
- 173—VI. SOPHIA⁶, bapt. Sept. 14, 1794.
- 174—VII. JOHN⁶, bapt. Sept. 14, 1794.
- 175—VIII. AARON⁶, bapt. Sept. 14, 1794.

107

ISAAC ANDREWS⁵, born in Ipswich May 11, 1755. He was a mariner, and lived in Ipswich. He married Joanna Woodbury of Beverly July 25, 1780, and died in a foreign land in April or May, 1799. She survived him.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 176—I. ISAAC⁶, bapt. Nov. 20, 1796.
- 177—II. JOANNA⁶, bapt. Nov. 20, 1796.
- 178—III. LUCY⁶, bapt. Nov. 20, 1796.
- 179—IV. RUTH⁶, bapt. Nov. 20, 1796.

108

JOSEPH ANDREWS⁵, born in Ipswich April 23, 1757. He married Margaret Ober of

Manchester Oct. 25, 1781, and lived there. He was a soldier in the Revolution; and was living in 1797.

Children, born in Manchester :—

- 180—I. JOSEPH⁶, b. Sept. 15, 1782.
- 181—II. RUTH⁶, b. June 29, 1784.
- 182—III. ISRAEL⁶, b. Sept. 27, 1786.
- 183—IV. ISSAKER⁶, b. Oct. 6, 1789.

116

AMOS ANDREWS⁵, born in Ipswich May 31, 1743. He was a yeoman, lived in Ipswich until after the Revolution, and then removed to Gloucester. He married Joanna Burnham Jan. 23, 1766. He died Oct. 21, 1827; and she died in Gloucester, his widow, Jan. 20, 1847, aged one hundred and one years.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 184—I. JOANNA⁶, bapt. April 9, 1769, in South parish; was living in 1821.
- 185—II. JOHN⁶, bapt. June 21, 1772; living, 1821.
- 186—III. AMOS⁶, living, 1821.
- 187—IV. MOLLY⁶, living, 1821.
- 188—V. MARK⁶, bapt. Aug. 31, 1777; living, 1821.
- 189—VI. BENJAMIN⁶, living, 1821.

117

JOHN ANDREWS⁵, born in Ipswich April 20, 1745. He was a mariner, and lived in Ipswich. He married Sarah Kinsman Dec. 18, 1766. They were both living in 1789.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 190—I. JOHN⁶, bapt. Aug. 30, 1767.
- 191—II. SARAH⁶, bapt. Nov. 5, 1769.
- 192—III. JEREMIAH⁶, bapt. Nov. 8, 1772.
- 193—IV. MARY⁶, bapt. Dec. 18, 1774.
- 194—V. SUSANNA⁶, bapt. Sept. 14, 1777.
- 195—VI. EUNICE⁶, bapt. April 2, 1780.
- 196—VII. BETTY⁶, bapt. July 20, 1783.
- 197—VIII. EPHRAIM⁶, bapt. Oct. 18, 1789.

123

BENJAMIN ANDREWS⁵, baptized in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, Sept. 2, 1753. He was a laborer, and lived in Chebacco parish. He married, first, ———; and, second, Mary Andrews Nov. 25, 1788; and she was his wife in 1792. He died in Ipswich, of fever, April 23, 1816, aged sixty-two.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 198—I. BENJAMIN⁶, bapt. Nov. 5, 1775; d. young.

- 199—II. JONATHAN⁶, bapt. July 7, 1782.
 200—III. BENJAMIN⁶, bapt. Sept. 10, 1786; d. young.
 201—IV. BENJAMIN⁶, b. July 10, 1790.
 202—V. JOSHUA⁶, b. Dec. 31, 1792; d. abroad May 8, 1815, aged twenty-two.

141

JONATHAN ANDREWS⁵, baptized in Ipswich July 22, 1764. He was a fisherman, and lived in Ipswich. He married Mary Burnham Feb. 8, 1787. He was living in 1823.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 203—I. JONATHAN⁶, b. Aug. 30, 1787.
 204—II. WINTHROP⁶, b. Dec. 9, 1789.

149

JAMES ANDREWS⁵, baptized in Chebacco parish, Ipswich, Jan. 16, 1747. He was a yeoman, and lived in Chebacco parish, which was incorporated as the town of Essex in 1819. He married Sarah Batcheller Sept. 5, 1775; and she was his wife in 1819. His will, dated Aug. 6, 1819, was proved in February, 1823.

Children:—

- 205—I. SARAH⁶, m. — Story before 1819.
 206—II. JUDITH⁶, m. — Burnham before 1819.
 207—III. MIRIRA⁶, m. — Burnham before 1819.
 208—IV. HANNAH⁶, m. — Masury before 1819.
 209—V. ISRAEL⁶, living in 1819.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

SALEM, November 15.

On Monday Evening, last Week, two Men, one named Young Flynt, belonging to Chelsea, and the other John Welman, of Lynn, went from Mr. Martin's Tavern, in that Place, and got into a canoe to return home; the Canoe accidentally overfet, when both of them held to it, and cried for Help; which was heard from the Shore, where great Numbers of Persons assembled. Mr. Wellman soon gave out, and sunk; but Mr. Flynt held to the Canoe near two Hours, and was carried in this Condition near a Mile by the Tide: Among the People on the Shore, were Wife and Children, who tried to persuade him to leave the Boat, and swim ashore (as

they knew he could swim well) but he seemed possessed with an Opinion that he was at a great Distance from the Shore, notwithstanding he was so near as to be talking with his Wife, and the other People about her, and could not be farther off than a Stone's Throw, tho' it was so dark they could not be seen by each other. A Number of People went off in a Boat to relieve him, but could hear nor see nothing of him after they left the Shore: So that after holding till his Strength failed him, sunk and was drowned. Both the Bodies of these unfortunate Men were found the next Day, and have been since interred. Mr. Flynt has left a Widow and five Children: Mr. Wellman was a Batchelor.—*Essex Gazette*, Nov. 8-15, 1768.

ESSEX COUNTY IN 1643.

The frontispiece of this number of the *Antiquarian* is a map of the county of Essex as it was established in 1643, except that portion of Lynn which was incorporated as Reading the following year. It was formed of the eight towns that appear upon the map, and these towns, with the exception of Wenham, have been since sub-divided.

From Andover, was set off the southeastern corner to form a part of Middleton in 1728, the northwestern corner to form a part of Lawrence in 1847, and North Andover was set off in 1855.

From Newbury, was set off Newburyport in 1764, and, in 1819, Parsons (the name being changed to West Newbury the next year).

From Rowley, was set off, in 1675, Bradford (from which Groveland was set off in 1850), in 1685, Boxford (from which the southwestern corner was taken to form a part of Middleton in 1728), and Georgetown in 1838.

From Ipswich, was set off, in 1650, the western end to form a part of Topsfield, and Essex in 1819.

From Gloucester, was set off Rockport in 1840.

From Salem, was set off Manchester in 1645, Marblehead in 1649, in 1650 the northern portion to form a part of Topsfield (the western end being set off in 1728 to form a part of Middleton), Beverly in 1668, the northwestern portion to form a part of Middleton in 1728, and, in 1757, Danvers (the southern portion being set off, in 1855, as South Danvers, the name being changed to Peabody in 1868).

From Lynn, was set off Lynnfield in 1814, Swampscott in 1852, and Nahant in 1853.

Danvers was established as a "district" in 1752, and Lynnfield in 1782.

Numerous changes in town lines have occurred, but none, other than those above mentioned, are material.

WILL OF JOHN BALCH.

The will of John Balch of Salem was proved in court at Salem 28 : 4 : 1648. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, book I, leaf 99.

The laft will & tefem^t of John Balch of falem bearing date the 15th day of may 1648

I John Balch ficke in bodie but in pfect memorie doe make this my laft will & testam^t in manner & forme following my debts paid & funeral expences difcharged thofe goods w^{ch} god hath gyven me it is my will to difpofe of them as followeth: Imprmis I gyve vnto Annis Balch my loveing wife the Roome newlie built wth twentie Akrs of land of w^{ch} 4 akres to be in till and alfoe 4 Akres of medowe wth fome pt of the barne to lay in her fruits and halfe of the great fruit trees for & during the life of the faid Annis Itm I gyve vnto my faid wife my beft bed wth all Conuenienc furniture there vnto belonging & one fourth pt of all my houfhold goods except the reft of my bedding & alfoe 2 Cowes by name Reddie & Cherie & one yearling heaffer ffurther my wlll is that foe long as my faid wife fhall liue my faid fonnes fhall fowe or plant

2 akres of the afforefaid 4 akers for my faid wife for the term of 7 years and after thatt on fonne Benjamin fhall doe all himfelfe Item I gyue & bequeth to benimin Balch my oldest fonne one halfe of my farme to him & his heires for euer as alfoe twoe yoake of oxen 1 Cowe one third of my yong Cattall & of the mare Coalt wth one fourth pt of my houfhold goods & halfe the great fruit trees & after the deceafe of my faid wyfe my will is that the faid Benjamin fhall haue them all wth all thofe he hath planted himfelfe.

Item my will is that all my Corne growing vpon the ground fhall be equallie deuided into 4 equally pts amongft my wife & Children Itm I gyve vnto John Balch my fecond fonne one fourth pt of my farme and one yoake of oxen one third of my yong Cattell & mare Coalt one fourth of my houfhold goods & halfe of all the yong axe trees vndifpoft of one Cowe I gyve to ffreeborne Balch my yongeft fonne one fourth pt of my ffarme one youke of oxen & one Cow I bred vp for him one third of the yong Cattell || & one third of the mare || & one fourth of my houfhold goods & halfe the yong Aple trees betwixt him & his brother John equallie to be diuided & further my will is thatt Annis my wife & Benjamin my fonne fhall be executo^{rs} to this my laft will & testam^t & my loveing frends John Portor & william woodberrie fhall be ouerfeers of the fame in wittnes herof I haue herevnto put my hand the day and year aboue written

wittnes

Peter

Palfrey

Nicholas Patch

Jefferie mafsey

Jo : Balch

ALFORD NOTES.

John Alford of Salem, seaman and fisherman, 1679—1682, married Charity, daughter of Anthony Dike.—*Registry of deeds.*

Edward Alford was killed by a fall into a ship July 14, 1683.—*Newbury town records.*

THE GRAVES OF A HOUSEHOLD.

O Love!—so hallowing every soil
That gives Thy sweet flower room,
Wherever, nursed by ease or toil,
The human heart takes bloom!—

Plant of lost Eden, from the sod
Of sinful earth unripen,
White blossom of the trees of God
Dropped down to us from heaven!—

This tangled waste of mound and stone
Is holy for thy sake;

A sweetness which is all thy own
Breathes out from fern and brake.
John G. Whittier.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

DODGE'S ROW BURYING GROUND.

This burying ground is in North Beverly near the Wenham line. Richard Dodge, of Beverly, the owner of the land, buried some members of his family here, having set apart the lot for that purpose at the close of the seventeenth century. Ever since that time the lot has been used as a burying place by Mr. Dodge's descendants and others. Additions were made to the lot in 1812;* and the entrance from the street was bought in 1815.† The following are all the inscriptions now to be found on the stones in this yard that bear dates prior to 1800.

Abraham Son to
M^r Richard & M^{rs}

Mary Dodge Died
Sep^{tem} 25th 1725
Aged 3 Months

HERE LYES Y^e
BODY OF AME
DODGE WHO
DIED MARCH y^e
26 1719 IN y^e
36th y^r OF HER AGE

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 237, leaf 204.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 236, leaf 70.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r AMOS DODGE
WHO WAS BORN
AUGUST 28 1717
AND DEPARTED
THIS LIFE FEB^{RY} 27
1755 IN THE 38
YEAR OF HIS AGE

Here Lyeth y^e Body of
M^r Andrew Dodge
Who died February y^e
17th 1747/8 in y^e 72nd
Year of his Age.

HERE LIES y^e BODEY OF MR
BARNABAS DODGE WHO DIED
OCTOBER y^e 11 1739 in y^e 33 YEAR
OF HIS AGE WITH HIS 4 CHILD^{RN}
UIZ MARTHA LUCY HEPHZI
ROGERS DODGES MARTHA DIED
DECEMB^R Y^e 19 1736 IN Y^e 8 YEAR
OF HER AGE LUCY DIED DECEMB^R
Y^e 14 1736 IN Y^e 5 YEAR OF HER
AGE HEPHZIBAH DIED JANUARY y^e 27
1737 IN Y^e 3 YEAR OF HER AGE
ROGERS DIED JULY Y^e 26
1736 AGED 14(?) DAYS.

HERE LYES y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} ELIZABETH DODGE
WIFE OF M^r PARKER
DODGE WHO DIED
DECEMB^R Y^e 25 1715
AGED 24 YEARS
BLESSED ARE THEY y^t
DI IN Y^e LORD*

Inscription on footstone:—

AS YOU ARE
SOE WARE WE
AS WE ARE
YOU SHALL BE

HERE LYES THE
BodI oF HANNAH
FISK THE WIF OF
ANDREW DODGE
HO DIED IN THE 30
YEAR OF HER AGE
DECEMBER 2th
1703*

Here Lieth
† body of
anna Dodge
DaUghter of Andrew
Dodge that he had
by his firft wife
ſhe died aPrel y^e 19
1704§

IN
Memory of
MRS. HANNAH DODGE,
wife of LIEV.
WILLIAM DODGE,
who died June 6,
1790. in the 28
year of her
Age.

*Pass on my friends, dry up your tears,
I must lie here till Chriſt appears,
Death is a debt to nature due,
I've paid the debt and ſo muſt you.*

*Inscription on footstone:—

HERE
LIEſ Ye BODI OF
HANNAH fiſk
THAT WAſ THE
Wif Of A D

†The stone is broken.

§ Inscription on footstone:—

HERE
LIeth Ye Body of
Hannah Dodge
ſhe died in ye
5 fiſt year of har
Age APrel y^e 19
1704

y^e Body of
* Dodge wife to
ob Dodge who D'd
December y^e 19th 1740
in y^e 29th year of her Age
Also Jacob their son died y^e
29th Aged A 11 days.

—
In Memory of
Capt. JACOB DODGE,
who died Dec. 13th 1792,
in the 77th Year
of his Age.

—
HERE LIES Y^e
BODY OF MR.
JOSIAH DODGE
WHO DIED JANU
ARY Y^e 19 1714
AGED 50 YEARS
IF WE BELIEVE
AS CHRIST HATH SAID
AL SHALL ARISE
Y^T HERE ARE LAID.†

—
HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF
MR^S MARTHA DODGE
y^e WIFE OF MR
PHINEHAS DODGE
WHO DIED MARCH
y^e 31st 1724 AGED
39 YEARS

—
HERE LIES Y^e
BODY OF MR^S
MARTHY DODGE
Y^e (?) WIFE OF MR
RICHARD DODGE
y^e 3 d WHO
DIED FEBRUARY
29 17 § IN
y^e 69 YEAR OF
HER AGE

*Broken. This inscription is from a copy
made many years ago by Wellington Pool of
Wenham, the stone being now gone.

†Many years ago, when Wellington Pool
copied this stone, it was lying upon the ground.
Now it is gone. This copy was made by Mr.
Pool.

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|--|--|
| HERE LYES y ^e BODY OF M ^R RICHARD DODG ^e WHO DIED Y dy of App § 13 1705 A G E D 63 YEARS. | ALSO MARY y ^e WIFE OF RICH ^d DODGE LYES HERE WHO DIED NOV ^{MR} 2 1716 AGED 75 YEAR |
|--|--|

Here Lyeth y^e body of Mary
 Dodge wife to Sam^l Dodge who
 died Augth y^e 6 1717
 Aged 73 years.

2 Daugh^h to M^r Richard &
 M^{rs} Mary Dodge

| | |
|--|--|
| Mary died y ^e 9 th of Octobr 1737 in her 8 th year | Marcy died Octobr y ^e 8 th 1737 in her 5 th year |
|--|--|

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 M^R PHINEAS DODGE
 WHO DEPARTED
 THIS LIFE JULY
 19th 1759 JN
 THE 7^{2nd} YEAR
 OF HIS AGE

Prudence dau. to
 M^r Joseph And M^{rs}
 Prudence Dodge
 Who died Janu^ry
 y^e 22^d 1725/6
 Aged 8 weeks.

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 M^{RS} PRUDENCE
 DODGE WIFE OF M^R
 WILLIAM DODGE
 WHO DIED AUGUST
 y^e 5th 1737 IN y^e 57th
 YEAR OF HER AGE

Prudence y^e dau^r to
 M^r Richard & M^{rs}
 Mary Dodge died
 Octo^r y^e 5 1737 (?)
 in her 3^d year

Richard Son to
 M^r Richard & M^{rs}
 Dodge y^e
 * October y^e
 *

HERE LIES
 y^e BODY OF
 MR RICHARD
 DODGE y^e 3^d
 WHO DIED JULY
 y^e 7th 1739
 AGED 70 YEAR

Here lies Buried
 the Body of
 Liev^t RICHARD DODGE;
 who departed this life
 May y^e 11th 1778 in y^e
 75th Year of His Age.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
 OF SAMUEL DODGE
 SEN WHO DEPARTED
 THIS LIFE IN IPSWICH
 UPON y^e 4 DAY OF
 DECEM ANNO DOM
 1705 IN Y^e
 61ST YEAR OF HI^S AGE

Here Lyes y^e body
 of Sarah y^e wife
 Formerly to Josiah
 Dodge who March
 y^e 17th died 1729/30
 in y^e 60th year of
 her Age

HERE LIES THE
 BoDI oF fARAH Dod
 ge THE WIF oF AND
 REW Dodg Ho DIE
 D IN y^e 6 oF JUNE
 IN y^e 60th YEAR
 oF HAR AGE
 1734

*Broken.

Tabitha dau^r to
M^r. Richard and
M^{rs}. Mary Dodge
Died Febu^y the
23^d 1727 in
her 2^d year

—
H E R E L I E S
y^e BODY OF MARTHA^A
EDWARDS DAFTER
OF MR JOSEPH
EDWARDS D I E D
IN AUGUST 1 7 2 6
IN Y^e 2^d Y E A R
O F H E R A G E
—

Here lyeth y^e Body
of Tabitha Goolfsmith

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Zacheus Goolfsmith
who died Octaber
y^e 8 1726 in 17
year of her Age

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

Continued from page 77.

Robert Swan of Haverhill, husbandman, conveyed to Daniel Ela of Haverhill, tanner, meadow at east end of great pond Feb. 4, 1660. Wit: John Ward and Samuell Holman. Ack. by grantor, his wife Elizabeth consenting to the sale, before Simon Bradstreet Oct. 13, 1661.

Samuel Tilton (his T mark) of Hampton, conveyed to John Clifford of Hampton 15 acres of upland in Hampton, bounded by Robert Tuck, country highway, etc.; and 5 acres of salt marsh at the west corner of what was sometime Rodger Shaw's marsh, measuring 50x16 rods, and bounded by Will: Swaine and Joseph Shaw, Oct. 30, 1661. Wit: Jn^o. Bursha and Abraha: Drake. Ack. before Tho: Wiggins April 7, 1662.

Nov. 10, 1653, Richard Ormsby of Haverhill, for £52 10s., conveyed to Tho: Dow of Nuberie my dwelling house and 4-acre house lot, with the hovel, etc.

*Broken.

Wit: Richard Littlehale and John Clements. Ack. by grantor and his wife Sarah (her m mark) in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

April 8, 1662, Richard Singletary of Haverhill and wife Susana (signed Susan) conveyed to Mary, wife of Jonathan Singletary of Haverhill, 150 acres, being our proportion of upland and meadow in Haverhill up ye river to the west end of ye town in ye 3d division (80 acres, bounded by Theophilous Satchwell and Tho: Lilford, and 70 acres on southwest side of Spicket river); and 6¾ or 7 acres of accommodation belonging to it, and other accommodations in Haverhill. Wit: Elizabeth Lilford (her E mark) and Ann Emerson (her e mark). Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

April 7, 1652, Tho: Lilford (his T mark) of Haverhill and wife Elizabeth (her lc mark) conveyed to Robert Clement of Haverhill 1½ acres of planting land in the lower plain east from the town of Haverhill, bounded by Mr. John Ward, Will: White, Henry Palmer, and swamp called the frog hole. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Peter Nash. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo. 1662.

April 7, 1662, Robert Clements of Haverhill and wife Elizabeth conveyed to Tho: Lilford of Haverhill one acre in the first division of meadow, in pond meadow, bounded by Tho: Whitcher, Sam: Giles, etc., warranting against John Clements heretofore of Haverhill. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Peter Nash. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

William Huntington (his 2 mark) of Salisbury, husbandman, for £9, conveyed to John Maxfeild of Salisbury, planter, my now dwelling house and 5 acres of upland adjoining in Salisbury, bounded by Jn^o. Weed, Jarett Haddon and land formerly of Jn^o. Bayly, sr., deceased, April 2, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and John Colby. Ack. in court at Salisbury April 8, 1662. Johannah Huntington (her x mark) assigns her interest in the property to John Maxfeild April 8, 1662. Wit: John Colby and Gerard Haddon.

Edmond Elliot entered caution concerning 30 acres of land and commonage he bought of Mr. Christopher Batt on west side of Pawwaus river, in Salisbury, bounded by Merrimack river, etc., April 10, 1662.

George Martyn (also, Martin), deposed that Mr. Batt delivered a 30-acre lot to Edmond (Edward) Elliot "in ye yeare fiftie fix," before Mr. Anthony Stanian and himself, by turf and twig as the law required, "but he was uppon his horse & said hee would ride of ye land & Edward Elliot shoudl keep uppon ye land." Sworn in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Richard Currier testified that he measured some boards that Edmonde Elliott paid Christo : Batt for a parcel of land, etc. Sworn in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Jn^o. Weed, aged 35, or thereabouts, testified that about the year '55 he went to Boston, and Edmond Elliott desired him to go to Mr. Batt and get something to show for the 30-acre lot and a common right he bought of him, which latter the town refused to give him except upon evidence; and he obtained a bill of the same from Mr. Batt. Sworn in court in Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Anthony Stanian testified that Mr. Christopher Batt acknowledged that he had sold to Ed : Elliott the parcel of land that lieth upon ye great river and ye land that was willi : Partridge's. Sworn in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Sarah Pike, aged about 40, deposed that she heard Mr. Christopher Batt sell to Ed : Elliott a parcel of land at Salisbury new town and a commonage, etc. Sworn in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Will : Osgood testified that Mr. Christopher Batt said to him at his (Osgood's-mill that he had his pay of Edmond Elliott for his land. Sworn in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Christopher Batt of Boston conveyed to Edmond Elliot my 30-acre lot on ye great river, bounded by Wm. Partridg, late deceased, G^o ffitts and Robert Ring,

and commonage for 2250 feet of boards when I send a boat for them, 14 : 3 : 1662 (?).

Vallentine Rowell (his F mark) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to John Clough of Salisbury, house carpenter, 4 acres of planting land in Salisbury, bounded by Willi Allin, highway to mill, grantee, etc., March 5, 1661. Wit : Tho : Bradbury and Jane Bradbury. Ack. by grantor and his wife Joanna in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Richard Swaine (his R mark) of Hampton conveyed to Hezekiah Swaine, my son William's eldest son, part of my house and 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ acres of land, bounded by Tho : Ward, Mr. Timothie Dalton and highway, said Hezekiah's mother, Prudence Swaine (who is probably a widow), to have use of it till he is 21, etc., April 22, 1658. Wit : Sa : Dalton and Tho : Marston. Ack. before Robert Pike, associate, 12 : 5 : 1663.

James George (his E mark) of Salisbury, laborer, conveyed to Jn^o. Ash of Salisbury, laborer, 8 acres of upland at ye Lyons mouth in ye new town of Salisbury, lot No. 20, bounded by Jn^o. Hoyt, sr., William Osgood, great swamp and highway, April 13, 1664. Wit : Tho : Bradbury and Nathanell Batcheller. Ack. by grantor, his wife releasing dower, in court at Salisbury 12 : 2 mo : 1664.

Jarett Haddon (his h mark) exchanged his meadow lot at the beach with Henry Brown for his lot in the same sweepage April 9, 1662. Wit : Anthony Somerby and Thomas Barnard. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Jarett Haddon (his h mark) exchanged the lot of Higgledee piggleddee that was William Huntington's at fox island, bounded by Vallentine Rowell and Phillip Challis, with Vallentine Rowell for his lot of sweepage at the beach, bounded by Mr. Winsley and John Dickison, April 9, 1662. Wit : Anthony Somerby and John Bayly. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8 : 2 mo : 1662.

Jarrett Haddon (his h mark) exchanged with Will : Huntington my lot of Higgle-

dee pigledee at Mr. Hall's farm, bounded by Richard Wells and Steven flanders, for Willi: Huntington's lot of Higgledee piggledee at fox island, bounded by Valentine Rowell and Phillip Challis, April 9, 1662. Wit: Anthony Somerby and John Baily. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Vallentine Rowell (his F mark) exchanged my lot of sweepage, bounded by Mr. Winsley and Goodman Dickison, at ye beach, with Jarret Haddon for William Huntington's lot of Higgledee pigledee meadow at fox island, bounded by Valentine Rowell and Phillip Challis, April 9, 1662. Wit: Anthony Somerby and John Bayly. Ack. by grantor, his wife releasing dower, in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Henry Brown exchanged meadow in ye sweepage at ye beach with Jarrett Haddon for his lot there April 9, 1662. Wit: Anthony Somerby and Tho: Barnard. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Willia Huntington (his 2 mark) exchanged with Jarret Haddon my lot of higgledee piggledee at fox island, bounded by Vallentine Rowell and Phillip Challis, for Haddon's lot of higgledee piggledee at Mr. Hall's farm, bounded by Richard Wells and Steven flanders, April 9, 1662. Wit: Ant: Somerby and John Bayly. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

John Clough of Salisbury, carpenter, for £3 10s., etc., & some upland on Exeter Ridg near William Allen's land, conveyed to John Gill of Salisbury, husbandman, one-third of ye land I bought of Andrew Greely, and land granted to me by town of Salisbury, the lots being adjoining, 37 acres in all, bounded by Richard Ormsby and highway near Batt's hill in Salisbury, 2: 11 mo: 1659. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Samuel Hall. Ack., and wife Joanna consenting, in court at Salisbury, 8: 2 mo: 1662.

July 5, 1653, Robert Clement, jr., of Haverhill, for 20s., conveyed to Robert Swan of Haverhill one acre of privilege belonging to the house lot I bought of

Thomas Perrie. Elizabeth Clem^{ts} also signs. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Theo: Shatswell. Ack. by Robert Clements in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo. 1662.

Edward Cottell (his II mark) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Thomas fowler of Salisbury one half of my share in Burchin meadow in Salisbury about a mile and a half from a place called Jamaica up Merrimack river, April 10, 1662. Wit: Steven Webster, Jn^o Page (his r mark) and Wymond Bradbury. His wife Judeth Cottle (her ⊕ mark) releases dower, and both ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

To be continued.

NOTES.

John Adams married Sarah Reed Feb. 13, 1787.

Polly Adams married Joseph Selman June 8, 1794.

Jonathan Adams married Eunice Jackson, both of Marblehead, May 19, 1765.

Jonathan Adams of Marblehead married Elizabeth Saunders Feb. 6, 1770; and had daughter Sarah baptized Jan. 13, 1771, and son Jonathan, April 26, 1772.

Mary Adams of Salem married John LeBallister of Marblehead March 2, 1768.

—*Marblehead town and church records.*

Daniel Adams served in the Revolution, and married Hannah Middleton Dec. 9, 1784, when they were both of Haverhill. Children: Hannah, born April 11, 1785; Sarah, born March 9, 1787; Samuel, born Dec. 3, 1788; died July 11, 1815; Daniel Varnum (twin), born Jan. 26, 1792; died Dec. —, 1809; Eliza Duston (twin), born Jan. 26, 1792; d. Dec. 6, 1796; Lucy Peabody, born July 10, 1794; died Dec. 10, 1798; Nathaniel Green Hamilton, born Oct. 2, 1796; died June 27, 1820; Lucy Eliza, born Nov. 20, 1798; Charles Lee Mercer, born June 1, 1801; died May 11, 1825; Henry Knox, born March 17, 1807; died Dec. 15, 1830.—*Haverhill town records.*

William Adams, jr., published to Priscilla Emerson Sept. 13, 1760.

Mary Adams "of the Hamlet" married Jacob Brown, 4th, Jan. 20, 1774.

Joseph Adams married Dorothy Kinsman Sept. 19, 1774.

Dr. Hugh Agan of Andover married Elizabeth Giddings of Chebacco parish, Ipswich, June 2, 1737.

John Aggett published to Miriam Wright Aug. 25, 1744.

—*Ipswich town records.*

William Addis of Gloucester, 1642, one of the chief inhabitants; perhaps went home for a short time, but in 1658-62 he was living at New London as a brewer. He had two daughters, Milicent, who married, first, November 28, 1642, William Southmayd; second, William Ash; and, third, Thomas Beebe, who were all of New London; and Ann, who married, June 24, 1653, at Boston, Ambrose Dart.—*Savage.*

Henry Addis, in Salem court, 1640.

William Addes of "New Gloster," 1643.

—*Salem quarterly court records.*

William Addle baptized May 15, 1796. Offered by Eliezer Lake.—*Topsfield church records.*

Josias (*Joseph*, also) Adee married Lydia Mansfield, both of Salem, May 17, 1733.

Joseph Addey, jr., published to Mary Searls, both of Salem, March 14, 1761.

Charles Adee married Sara Gray March 10, 1768.

Elizabeth Adeo married John Reeves, 2d, both of Salem, March 23, 1769.

—*Salem town records.*

Josias Edee of Salem, mariner, bought house and land in Salem, 1749.

Josias Adeo of Salem, mariner, sold land in Salem, 1762. He signed his name "Eady."

Josias Adeo of Salem, fisherman, mortgaged house and land in Salem, 1763.

Joseph Adeo of Salem, laborer, sold land in Salem, 1769.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Patience Ahern (*Heron?*) married James Nichols of Salem March 17, 1770. —*Danvers town records.*

Children of Matthew Akins baptized: John, Sept. 12, 1756; Matthew, Sept. 4, 1757; John, June 24, 1781; Betsey, July 10, 1785; and Matthew, June 14, 1789.—*Gloucester church records.*

Matthew Akin of Billerica published to Martha Young Dec. 4, 1755.

Matthew Akin married Miriam Gardner Nov. 5 (4—*church records*), 1779.—*Gloucester town records.*

Matthew Akins of Gloucester, trader, sold land in Wenham, 1757.

Widow Elizabeth Akins of Gloucester conveyed her interest in the estate of her mother Rachel Somes of Gloucester, deceased, being the house where I now live, in Gloucester, 1792.

—*Registry of deeds.*

John Akins married Rhoda Paul, negroes, Dec. 3, 1799; and had daughter Sibyll born Oct. 24, 1802; and daughter Charity born Dec. 13, 1808.—*Newburyport town records.*

John Ailes had children baptized Feb. —, 1783, April —, 1786, and Aug. —, 1788.—*North church (Salem) records.*

Roger Aimesdowne, Salem (?), 1640 (?), was then granted land there by Salem.—*Salem town records.*

Stephen Anan (also spelled *Ainane* and *Ainon*) married Sarah Deverix, both of Marblehead, Dec. 23, 1709. Administration was granted on his estate Sept. 4, 1717. His wife Sarah survived him. He was a fisherman.—*Probate records, and Marblehead town records.*

Stephen Akerman of Newbury married, first, Sarah Stickney (probably widow of Amos Stickney—*Savage*) Dec. 17, 1684. She died in Newbury Dec. 7, 1711. He married, second, widow Sarah Wheeler Feb. 12, 1711-12. He was a mariner, and was living in Newbury as late as 1719. He died some time after that date, and his widow was published to Ens. Hugh Pike Sept. 30, 1727. She did not marry him, however, and Oct. —, 1729, she married William Salmon of Newbury.—*Newbury town records, etc.*

John Akerman¹ m. Margaret ———, and had the following children born in Newburyport:—

1. *Lydia*², b. Feb. 24, 1771.
2. *Margaret*², b. July 21, 1773; m. John Orne Oct. 12, 1794.
3. *John*², b. March 8, 1775. See below (3).
4. *Betsey*², b. March 27, 1777.
5. *Betsey*², b. July 1, 1779.
6. *Daniel Dill*², b. Feb. 7, 1782.
7. *Joseph*², b. Aug. 31, 1787.
8. *Benjamin*², b. Nov. 7, 1789.
9. *Ebenezer Perkins*², b. March 7, 1792.
10. *Benjamin*², b. Dec. 23, 1794.
11. ———², d. Feb. 11, 1799.

3. John Akerman², b. in Newburyport March 8, 1775. He m. Ruth Moody (pub. May 7, 1796), and had the following children born in Newburyport:—

1. *John*³, b. Oct. 26, 1796.
2. *Ruth*³, b. April 19, 1799; d. Feb. 6, 1800.
3. *Ruth*³, b. Nov. 24, 1800.
4. *Oliver Moody*³, b. Feb. 19, 1803.

Sarah Akerman married Joseph Doggett Aug. 24, 1780.

Joanna Akerman married Moses Todd Aug. 6, 1781.

Elizabeth Akerman married William Bispham Dec. 8, 1785.

Noah Akerman married Joanna Butman Feb. 28, 1788.

—*Newburyport town records*.

John Albee of Salem, 1637; freeman, May 10, 1643; and died, 1690. This was possibly John Abbee.—*Savage*.

John Albree of Salem married Lydia Tufts of Medford Jan. 6, 1793, and had children baptized Feb. 2, 1794, and July 20, 1800.—*Salem town records, and St. Peter's church (Salem) records*.

William Alford of Newburyport married Lydia Fellows of Ipswich, in Ipswich, Sept. 19, 1765, and they had a son William born in Newburyport Dec. 27, 1767.—*Ipswich and Newburyport town records*.

"Mr. Alfoat" of Salem was ordered to deliver his arms to Lt. Damfort Nov. 20, 1637.—*Massachusetts Bay Colony records*.

Tabitha Alford, baptized "at age" May 1, 1690.—*First church (Salem) records*.

David Aliver married Sarah Brentnall both of Marblehead, March 3, 1692.—*Marblehead town records*.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

216. Wanted, ancestry of Leader Nelson, born in Portsmouth, N. H., 1724.
Elkins, N. H. A. H. L.

217. Can any one give me information of Martin Johnson, and wife Hannah, who removed to Nova Scotia with children John, William-Martin, Harry and Polly. They were supposed to be Loyalists; and Martin Johnson was given about three hundred acres of land by the English government. I seek earnestly from whence he came.

Oyster Bay, L. I. S. E. T.

218. Wanted, ancestry of Peter Roberts, wife Susanna, daughter Susanna born in Billerica, 1730, married in Brookfield, 1751, Joseph Foster of Hardwick.

Andover. C. H. A.

219. Robert Greenough, town clerk, Rowley, 1685, married Martha Epes of Ipswich. Where from or who were his parents?

Denver, Col. J. P. G.

ANSWERS.

125. Miriam Haskins (not Hoskins), who married Jonathan Cole of Beverly in 1722, was daughter of John and Sarah (Gale?) Stone of Beverly, where she was born April 9, 1695. Her father was born about 1658. She married, first, Samuel Haskins of Beverly, ferryman (published Feb. 19, 1716). He died Nov. 11, 1717, at the age of twenty-six; and she married, secondly, Jonathan Cole of Beverly, tailor, as stated in the query.—*Ed.*

166. By the deed of Samuel Perley of Ipswich, dated in 1714, and recorded in Essex county Deeds, book 29, leaf 47, it appears that Sarah, wife of Joseph Andrews of Salem Village, was daughter of said Samuel Perley, and not of his brother John Perley. She was the eldest child of Samuel Perley and Ruth Trumbull, who were married in 1664. Ruth Trumbull was daughter of John and Ellen Trumbull, and was born in Rowley April 23, 1645.—*Ed.*

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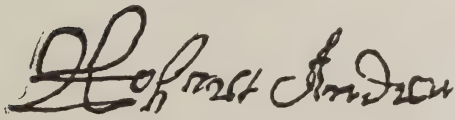
SALEM, MASS., AUGUST, 1899.

No. 8.

DESCENDANTS OF ROBERT ANDREWS OF ROWLEY VILLAGE (BOXFORD).

ROBERT ANDREWS¹, said to have been born in Boxford, England, was a carpenter by trade, and lived in Topsfield in 1654, settling in Rowley Village, now Boxford, near the Topsfield line, in 1661, and always being identified with the Topsfield people. He died May 29, 1668; and in his will requested to be buried at Topsfield. His wife Grace survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 25, 1702.

Children:—

- 2—I. MARY², b. about 1638; m. Isaac Cummings of Topsfield Nov. 27, 1659; and was living in 1699.
 - 3—II. HANNAH², b. about 1642; m. Capt. John Peabody of Boxford Nov. 23, 1665; and was living in Boxford in 1699.
 - 4—III. ELIZABETH², b. about 1643; m. Samuel Symonds of Boxford April 14, 1662; and they were living in Boxford in 1699.
 - 5—IV. THOMAS², b. about 1645. *See below* (5).
 - 6—V. JOHN², b. about 1648. *See below* (6).
 - 7—VI. ROBERT², b. about 1651; was a soldier in Captain Gardner's company in 1675; and was killed in storming the Narragansett fort, Dec. 19, 1675. He was unmarried. He made his will Dec. 6, 1675; and his signature to it is herewith given:
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- 8—VII. REBECCA², b. about 1654; m. Samuel Marble of Andover Nov. 26, 1675; and they were living there in 1699.
 - 9—VIII. JOSEPH², b. Sept. 18, 1657, in Topsfield. *See below* (9).
 - 10—IX. SARAH², b. about 1658; m. Daniel Wood of Boxford; they were living in Boxford in 1699.

- 11—X. RUTH², b. May 27, 1664, in Rowley Village; m. Edward Phelps of Andover March 9, 1682-3; and they were living in Andover in 1699.

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SERG. THOMAS ANDREWS², born about 1645. He received under his father's will the homestead in Boxford, and on it subsequently lived, being called a carpenter and yeoman. He was made a freeman March 22, 1689-90. He married, first, widow Martha (Baker) Antrum of Ipswich June 22, 1670; and, second, Rebecca — before 1692-3. Oct. 3, 1716, he conveyed his farm to his son Thomas, in consideration of the life support of the grantor, and was deceased two years later. His wife Rebecca survived him, dying, his widow, April 1, 1724.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 12—I. ELIZABETH³, b. Jan. 16, 1671-2; m. William Wilson of Ipswich April 19, 1693.
- 13—II. MARTHA³, b. Dec. 25, 1673; m. John Fifield before 1716; and they were living in Kingstown in 1750.
- 14—III. ROBERT³, d. May 16, 16—.
- 15—IV. SARAH³, probably m. Lt. Joseph Swett of Hampton Nov. 20, 1701.
- 16—V. HANNAH³, d. April 24, 1700 (?).
- 17—VI. RUTH³, m. Timothy Foster March 29, 1715.
- 18—VII. REBECCA³, b. April 14, 1686; d. May 21, 16—.
- 19—VIII. LILBURN³, b. Oct. 1, 1688; d. May 23, 16—.
- 20—IX. PATIENCE³, b. March 29, 1689-90; m. John Andrews (35).
- 21—X. ESTHER³, b. Feb. 16, 1692-3; probably m. John Bixby of Boxford May 8, 1722.
- 22—XI. THOMAS³, b. Dec. 18, 1694. *See below* (22).

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CAPT. JOHN ANDREWS², born about 1648. He was made a freeman in October, 1690. He was a husbandman; and lived in Boxford, buying land "in ye Chestnut country or nutfield" in 1714. From 1720 to 1725 he is styled "gentleman." He married Sarah Dickinson of Rowley April 18, 1684; and, March 14, 1721-2, they conveyed the farm to their son John, in consideration of their support for life. This conveyance and agreement was apparently rescinded in 1723, and two years later they conveyed the farm to their son Joshua. The dates of their deaths are not known: she was living in 1725, and he was deceased in 1731.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 23—I. ROBERT³. *See below* (23).
- 24—II. LYDIA³, b. April 20, 1687; d. May 21, 16—.
- 25—III. SARAH³, b. March 24, 1690; m. John Phelps Nov. 4, 1714; and was living in 1722.
- 26—IV. REBECCA³, b. Dec. 10 (16?), 1691; m. John Bradstreet Feb. 20, 1721-2.
- 27—V. ANNE³, bapt. April 7, 1695, in Topsfield; m. Samuel Robinson of Topsfield April 20, 1727.
- 28—VI. JOHN³, b. May 27, 1697. *See below* (28).
- 29—VII. OLIVER³, b. Jan. 12, 1699-1700. *See below* (29).
- 30—VIII. SUSANNAH³, b. March 9, 1701-2; unmarried in 1722.
- 31—IX. JOSHUA³, b. July 26, 1704. *See below* (31).
- 32—X. JAMES³, b. July 14, 1707; d. Jan. 13, 1716-7.

9

CAPT. JOSEPH ANDREWS², born in Topsfield Sept. 18, 1657. He was a house carpenter by trade, and lived in Boxford until 1705, when he removed to Salem Village, where he afterward lived. He was made freeman March 22, 1689-90. He married, first, Sarah Perley of Ipswich Feb. 1, 1681; and she died Jan. 15, 1693-4. He married, second, Mary Dickeson of Rowley March 30, 1696; and she died Feb. 25, 1—-. He married, third, widow Abigail (Grafton) Walker Nov. 2, 1704. His will, dated April 13, 1731, was proved Sept. 4, 1732; and

in it he devised his homestead to his sons Nathaniel and Jonathan. His wife Abigail was living, his widow, in 1737.

Children:—

- 33—I. SARAH³, b. Aug. 20, 1683, in Topsfield; m. Paul Averill March 27, 1706.
- 34—II. JOSEPH³, b. March 13, 1686, in Boxford. *See below* (34).
- 35—III. JOHN³, bapt. Sept. 16, 1688, in Topsfield. *See below* (35).
- 36—IV. HEPHZIBAH³, bapt. July 5, 1691, in Topsfield; m. Abraham How of Ipswich (pub. Jan. 31, 1712); and she died in Ipswich in 1753.
- 37—V. ROBERT³, living in 1718.
- 38—VI. MARY³, b. April 19, 169—; m. Samuel Creesy of Rowley Oct. 7, 1725.
- 39—VII. LYDIA³, b. Sept. 3, 1697; m. William Webster May 24, 1722; and was living, his widow, in 1737.
- 40—VIII. NATHANIEL³, b. Aug. 10, 1705. *See below* (40).
- 41—IX. JONATHAN³, b. Aug. 12, 1708; mariner; lived in Salem; being about to go on a voyage to sea he made his will Nov. 8, 1734, and it was proved July 8, 1737. He died without issue, and apparently unmarried.

22

CAPT. THOMAS ANDREWS³, born in Boxford Dec. 18, 1694. He was a husbandman, and lived in Boxford. He married Ruth Bixby March 1, 1721-2. He was living Dec. 10, 1746, and administration was granted on his estate June 1, 1747. She died between 1769 and 1789.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 42—I. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Nov. 3, 1723. *See below* (42).
- 43—II. REBECCA⁴, b. Sept. 23, 1725; living in 1757.
- 44—III. LEVI⁴, b. Aug. 27, 1727 (bapt. Aug. 14 (?), 1727). *See below* (44).
- 45—IV. SARAH⁴, b. Oct. 8, 1729; living in Boxford, unmarried, 1786.
- 46—V. LILBORN⁴, b. Oct. 25, 1730 (bapt. Oct. 10, 1736); d., unmarried and a minor, probably while on a military expedition; was living March 26, 1750, and dead March 14, 1757.
- 47—VI. LYDIA⁴, b. July 22, 1732; probably published to Samuel Flint of Middleton Dec. 24, 1751.
- 48—VII. JERUSAHA⁴, b. Sept.—, 17—; bapt. Sept. 15, 1734; m. Joseph Simmons of Boxford, cordwainer, before 1769. She was probably published to Joseph Fisk Feb. 2, 1755.

- 49—VIII. SUSANNA⁴, b. Oct. 30, 173-; bapt. Oct. 1, 1738; living in 1757.
 50—IX. ABIGAIL⁴, b. April 9, 174-; bapt. April 18, 1742; m. Nathaniel Tyler, jr., of Methuen (pub. Feb. 3, 1770); and both were living in 1782.

23

ROBERT ANDREWS³, born in Boxford, where he lived, and was a farmer. He married Deborah Frye of Andover March 10, 1719-20; and died in Boxford May (April?) 14, 1751. His wife Deborah survived him.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 51—I. JAMES⁴, b. March 19, 1721. *See below* (51).
 52—II. ROBERT⁴, b. Nov. 8, 1722. *See below* (52).
 53—III. NATHAN⁴, b. May 25, 1726. *See below* (53).
 54—IV. DEBORAH⁴, bapt. Sept. —, 1728; d. June 4, 1737.
 55—V. SAMUEL⁴, b. May 27, 1731 (1724?); probably died before 1751.

28

JOHN ANDREWS³, born in Boxford May 27, 1697. He lived in Boxford until 1741, when he removed to Upper Ashuelot, now Keene, N. H. The next year he sold his father's homestead (which his father had deeded to him) in Boxford. He was a farmer; and married Hannah Kimball April 28, 1724. *See History of Keene, N. H.*, pages 13 and 14, about Mr. Andrews' removal to Keene, and the decease of his children.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 56—I. SAMUEL⁴, b. April 9, 1725.
 57—II. JEREMIAH⁴, b. Aug. 7, 1727.
 58—III. DANIEL⁴, b. Dec. 27, 1729 (David, bapt. Jan. 14, 1729-30).
 59—IV. HANNAH⁴, b. June 13, 1732.
 60—V. SARAH⁴ (twin), b. Nov. 14, 1734.
 61—VI. MARY⁴ (twin), b. Nov. 14, 1734.
 62—VII. JOHN⁴, b. March 9, 1736-7.
 63—VIII. RACHEL⁴, bapt. March 23, 1740.

29

OLIVER ANDREWS³, born in Boxford Jan. 12, 1699-1700. He was a farmer; and lived in Boxford until July 17, 1747, when he bought the farm of Nathaniel Carrill in Middleton, and removed thither. He married, first, Mary Foster March 16 (10—*church record*), 1736-7; and, sec-

ond, Mehitable Cummings May 7, 1740. His wife Mehitable survived him, and was living in 1767.

Children :—

- 64—I. — (dau.)⁴, b. Jan. 9, 1740-1, in Boxford.
 65—II. EUNICE⁴, b. Oct. 2, 17—, in Middleton; m. John Carleton of Andover Nov. 3, 1768.

31

JOSHUA ANDREWS³, born in Boxford July 26, 1704. He lived in Boxford, being a yeoman. He married Hannah Wood Dec. 2, 1731; and died between Jan. —, 1750, and May 13, 1751. She survived him, and probably married, secondly, John Kimball April 5, 1764.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 66—I. ASA⁴, eldest son, 1759. *See below* (66).
 67—II. PHEBE⁴, m. David Peabody Jan. 9, 1759, in Ipswich.
 68—III. HANNAH⁴, unmarried in 1762; probably m. John Butman Aug. 2, 1764.
 69—IV. JACOB⁴. *See below* (69).
 70—V. SARAH⁴, b. Sept. 8, 1741; probably m. Jacob Perley April 19, 1764.
 71—VI. APPHIA⁴, b. Sept. 10, 1744 (?); probably m. Benjamin Perley of Boxford Oct. 12, 1773.
 72—VII. ANNA⁴, b. March 13, 1746-7; probably m. Amos Pritchard.
 73—VIII. JOSHUA⁴, b. Oct. 28, 1750. *See below* (73).

34

JOSEPH ANDREWS³, born in Boxford March 13, 1686. He was a farmer; and lived in Boxford until 1718, when he removed to Topsfield, having bought the French farm (near the "dry bridge" on the turnpike), which has been in his family ever since. The house, built by John French about 1675, is shown in the frontispiece as it appears today. He married Hephzibah Porter of Salem June 7, 1711; and she died April 12, 1756. He followed her ten days later.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 74—I. ANNA⁴, b. Feb. 23, 1712-3; m. Thomas Symonds June 3, 1742; and were both living in Topsfield in 1756.
 75—II. RUTH⁴, b. Oct. 17, 1715; spinster; unmarried in 1756.
 76—III. JOSEPH⁴, b. Oct. 14, 1717. *See below* (76).

35

JOHN ANDREWS³, baptized in Topsfield Sept. 16, 1688. He was a farmer; and lived in Boxford. He married Patience Andrews (20) July 9, 1713; and she died before 1741. His will, dated April 2, 1741, was proved March 25, 1745.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 77—I. HANNAH⁴, b. April 28, 1715; m. Moses Foster of Arundel, in Ipswich, March 10, 1736; and was living in 1741.
- 78—II. THOMAS⁴, b. Sept. 4, 1717 (bapt. July —, 1717). *See below* (78).
- 79—III. MARY⁴, b. March 25, 1720 (bapt. Feb. —, 1719-20); m. Elisha Cummings of Topsfield Nov. 22, 1744.
- 80—IV. NATHANIEL⁴, b. April 24, 1722. *See below* (80).
- 81—V. MARCY⁴, b. April 26, 1725; probably d. before 1741.
- 82—VI. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Nov. 29, 1727 (bapt. Nov. 26, 1727); living in 1741.

40

CAPT. NATHANIEL ANDREWS³, born Aug. 10, 1705. He was a mariner until about 1740, and subsequently a merchant in Salem, where he lived all his life. He married, first, Mary Higginson Sept. 19, 1729; and she died Oct. 3, 1747, aged thirty-eight. He married, second, widow Abigail Peele of Salem May 20, 1748. He died Feb. 4, 1762; and his wife Abigail survived him, being his widow in 1773.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 83—I. NATHANIEL⁴, b. June 11, 1731; d. March 20, 1731-2.
- 84—II. MARY⁴, b. April 6, 1733; m. William King of Salem April 25, 1753.
- 85—III. JOSEPH⁴ (twin), b. Feb. 7, 1734-5; d. Feb. 24, 1734-5.
- 86—IV. ABIGAIL⁴ (twin), b. Feb. 7, 1734-5; d. Feb. 16, 1734-5.
- 87—V. HANNAH⁴, b. May —, 1736; d. Nov. 28, 1736.
- 88—VI. JONATHAN⁴, b. Feb. 6, 1737-8. *See below* (88).
- 89—VII. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Nov. 23, 1745; d. Sept. 12, 1754.
- 90—VIII. JOHN⁴, b. Sept. 27, 1747. *See below* (90).

42

NATHANIEL ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford Nov. 3, 1723. He was a husbandman; and lived in Boxford. He married Sarah Lindall of Ipswich (published Dec. 9,

1753); and they were both living in 1783.

Children:—

- 91—I. SARAH⁵, b. April 18, 1757, in Boxford.
- 92—II. LILBURN⁵, b. Aug. 6, 1760, in Boxford.
- 93—III. THOMAS⁵, b. April 12, 1763, at Derry; pub. to Polly Cummings March 29, 1785.
- 94—IV. MARY⁵, b. Oct. 15, 1767, in Boxford; "Polly" pub. to Oliver White of Pittsfield April 18, 1794.
- 95—V. JAMES⁵, b. March 9, 1773, in Boxford.

44

LEVI ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford Aug. 27, 1727. He was a husbandman; and lived in Boxford. He was called of Souhegan-west, N. H., in 1754. He was a cooper, and living in Nottingham-west, Hillsborough county, N. H., in 1789. He married, first, Sarah Towne of Topsfield Nov. 5, 1752. She was baptized Sept. 15, 1754, at home, being very sick; and that was probably her last sickness. He married, second, Bridget Holt Nov. 10, 1757. She was his wife in 1789.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 96—I. MARY⁵, bapt. Nov. 15, 1761.
- 97—II. LYDIA⁵, b. Jan. 14, 1758.
- 98—III. HANNAH⁵, m. John Estey of Middleton, yeoman.

51

LT. JAMES ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford March 19, 1721. He was a yeoman; and lived in Boxford. His father devised land in Souhegan-west to him in 1751. He married, first, Ruth Wood Feb. 18, 1746-7; and she died April 7, 1764. He married, second, Elizabeth Bryant April 16, 1765. They were living in Boxford, on the farm of the late Samuel Twisden, in 1769, when he sold it to his brother Nathan Andrews, and removed to the house that stood near the present house of Cornelius Pearson. They removed to Bridgeton, Me., in 1773.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 99—I. JOHN⁵, b. Nov. 13, 1748; had studied medicine and taught school; and d., of consumption, Sept. 6, 1768.
- 100—II. SAMUEL⁵, b. Aug. 12, 1750; d. Oct. 25, 1771.
- 101—III. ROBERT⁵, b. Oct. 5, 1752.
- 102—IV. JAMES⁵, b. June 12, 1755; m. Abigail Foster Feb. 6, 1781.

- 103—V. AMASA⁵, b. May 13, 1758; d. Aug. 28, 1777.
 104—VI. RUTH⁵, b. Aug. 26, 1765; m. David Barnard of Bridgton Feb. 3, 1794.
 105—VII. BETSEY⁵, b. July 23, 1767.

52

CAPT. ROBERT ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford Nov. 8, 1722. Lived in Brookfield, and subsequently in Shrewsbury. He married Lucy Bradstreet of Topsfield March 19, 1746-7. He died Nov. 11, 1789, aged sixty-seven; and his wife Lucy died, his widow, Dec. 22, 1815.

Children:—

- 106—I. ROBERT⁵, b. Jan. 8, 1748; m. Dorothy Goodenow of Princeton in 1770; she d. Oct. 2, 1822; he d. July 13, 1835, aged eighty-seven; lived in Shrewsbury. They had children, one of whom was Dr. John Andrews.
 107—II. SAMUEL⁵, b. Sept. 14, 1750; m., first, Judith Flagg July 10, 1777; and, second, Annis Morse; lived in Shrewsbury, and had five children.
 108—III. DANIEL⁵, b. July 22, 1752; deacon; m. Dinah Bigelow in 1781; he d. March 12, 1826; she d. Nov. 15, 1834; had six children; and lived in Shrewsbury.
 109—IV. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Feb. 17, 1755; d. Sept. 29, 1757.
 110—V. JOHN⁵, b. March 29, 1757; m. Margaret Parker of Holden Dec. 4, 1794; and d. Feb. 13, 1822; lived in Shrewsbury; and had children.
 111—VI. LUCY⁵, m. Jonathan Bond, jr.
 112—VII. ASA⁵, b. May 11, 1762. *See below* (112).
 113—VIII. JOTHAM⁵, b. Dec. 18, 1766; d. young.

53

"SIR" NATHAN ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford May 25, 1726. He was a farmer, and lived in Boxford on the farm lately owned by Samuel Andrews, which had been in the family for three generations, his father having devised the place to him in 1751. He married, first, Mehitable Foster of Andover April 23, 1751; and she died Jan. 25, 1760. He married, second, widow Sarah (Gould) Symonds Feb. 16, 1764; and she died April 3, 1801. He died March 29, 1806.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 114—I. DEBORAH⁵, b. Oct. 19, 1752; probably m. Joshua Andrews (73) June 11, 1778.

- 115—II. NATHAN⁵, b. Nov. 11, 1754. *See below* (115).
 116—III. LYDIA⁵, b. Oct. 21, 1756; admitted to First church Nov. 27, 1774; and was probably dead in 1796.
 117—IV. MEHITABLE⁵, b. Sept. 23, 1759; m. Jonathan Knight, jr., of Middleton May 23, 1782; and was living in 1796.

66

ASA ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford, where he lived until the winter of 1762-3, when he removed to Londonderry, N. H., being a yeoman. He married Lucy Cresey of Rowley (published March 8, 1757). They were living in Londonderry in 1770.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 118—I. ABNER⁵, bapt. July 27, 1760; lived in Londonderry.
 119—II. ASA⁵, bapt. July 17, 1760; lived in Londonderry.
 120—III. DANIEL⁵, bapt. May 31, 1761.
 121—IV. JEREMIAH⁵, bapt. Dec. 5, 1762.

69

JACOB ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford, where he always lived, being a yeoman. He married Mary (Holt), widow of Nathaniel Andrews (80) Nov. 19, 1761. Administration was granted on his estate Oct. 3, 1786; and his wife survived him.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 122—I. JACOB⁵, b. Aug. 9, 1762; lived in Boxford; yeoman; m. Jane Gould of Topsfield April 1, 1792; was living, 1796. Of Boxford, cordwainer 1788.
 123—II. MARY⁵, b. Feb. 27, 1764.
 124—III. NATHANIEL⁵, b. Sept. 5, 1765.
 125—IV. BETTY⁵, b. March 30, 1767; probably m. Nathaniel Gould March 3, 1791.
 126—V. HANNAH⁵, b. June 15, 1769; m. John Dorman Dec. 27, 1792.
 127—VI. DOLLY⁵, b. Dec. 25, 1770.
 128—VII. ANNE⁵, b. Feb. 23, 1774.
 129—VIII. JOSHUA⁵, b. Nov. 30, 1775.
 130—IX. ESTHER⁵, b. Dec. 16, 1777.

73

JOSHUA ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford Oct. 28, 1750. He was a blacksmith; and lived in Boxford until about 1784, when he removed to New Bradford, Hillsborough county, N. H., where he was living in 1788. He married Deborah Andrews (114) June 11, 1778; and she was his wife in 1788.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 131—I. LYDIA⁵, bapt. March 5, 1780.
132—II. JACOB⁵, bapt. June 16, 1782.

76

JOSEPH ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford Oct. 14, 1717. His father devised to him all his real estate in Boxford and Topsfield, and on his father's homestead in Topsfield he lived, being a farmer. He married Dorothy Wildes April 10, 1759; and died Oct. 16, 1785. His wife Dorothy survived him, and died, his widow, Feb. 15, 1813.

Children, born in Topsfield :—

- 133—I. HEPZIBAH⁵, b. Jan. 10, 1760; unmarried in 1810.
134—II. JOSEPH⁵, b. May 27, 1763. *See below* (134).
135—III. SALOME⁵, b. Oct. 20, 1765; unmarried in 1810.
136—IV. EPHRAIM⁵, b. April 7, 1772; lived in Topsfield, cordwainer, in 1797; m. Sarah Conant of Ipswich April 6, 1797; was living in 1810, and d. in New Hampshire.

78

THOMAS ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford Sept. 4, 1717. He lived in Boxford till 1743, when he removed to Topsfield, where he remained two years, being a yeoman. He returned to Boxford, and kept an inn for about twelve years. In 1765 he settled in that part of Shrewsbury subsequently incorporated as Boylston, and died there. He married Margaret Bradstreet Nov. 23 (27?), 1739, and she survived him, dying in Newfane, Vt.

Children, born in Boxford :—

- 137—I. DAVID⁵, b. Sept. 4, 1740; m. Abigail Nixon of Sudbury in 1764, and had two children.
138—II. JONATHAN⁵, b. Nov. 24, 1742; d. unmarried.
139—III. MARY⁵, bapt. April 28, 1745; d. young.
140—IV. ELIZABETH⁵, b. March 22, 1746; m. John Morse in 1769; and settled in Newfane, Vt.
141—V. MARY⁵, b. July 8, 1749 (bapt. June 23, 1749).
142—VI. LUCY⁵, bapt. Jan. 18, 1756.

80

NATHANIEL ANDREWS⁴, born in Boxford April 24, 1722. He was a husbandman; and lived in Boxford. He married Mary Holt Sept. 3, 1754. In 1758 he was

adjudged non compos, but regained his senses within a year; and died in 1759, administration being granted on his estate Sept. 24, 1759. She survived him, and married, secondly, Jacob Andrews (69) Nov. 19, 1761. She was living in 1811.

Child, born in Boxford :—

- 143—I. JOHN⁵, b. Nov. 7, 1759 (bapt. May 27, 1759).

88

JONATHAN ANDREWS⁴, born in Salem Feb. 6, 1737-8. He lived in Salem on his father's homestead. He carried on his father's store for a year or two after his father's death; and was a tanner during the remainder of his life. He married Mary Gardner of Salem June 12, 1760, and died May 16, 1781. She survived him, and died, his widow, Jan. 17, 1820, aged eighty.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 144—I. MARY⁵, b. about 1761; m. Joseph Hodges, jr., Sept. 21, 1783; and d., of fever, Sept. 6, 1798.
145—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Sept. 1, 1762; m. Benjamin Browne, jr., of Salem Oct. 23, 1787; and d. Jan. 1, 1843.
146—III. SARAH⁵, b. about 1770; m. Matthew Vincent of Salem Oct. 24, 1790; and was living in 1794.
147—IV. JONATHAN⁵, b. about 1773; d. April 18, 1844, aged seventy-one.
148—V. SAMUEL⁵, b. about 1775; living in 1794.
149—VI. NATHANIEL⁵, b. about 1778; d., of fever, Oct. 21, 1795, aged eighteen.

90

JOHN ANDREWS⁴, born in Salem Sept. 27, 1747. He lived in his father's house in Salem, where the Franklin building stands. He was a jeweller and goldsmith, having his shop on his homestead next Essex street. He married Elizabeth Watson Oct. 19, 1769. They removed to Windham, Me., about 1790, and he died there in 1791. She died Feb. 22, 1830.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 150—I. JONATHAN⁵, b. Sept. 10, 1782; lived in Windham, Me., until 1832, when he removed to Boxford, Mass., where he d. Dec. 27, 1849; m. Nancy G. Pierce of Westmoreland, N. H., July 14, 1817. Gov. John Albin Andrew of Massachusetts was their first child.

- 151—II. JOHN⁵, b. July 9, 1784; of firm of Archer & Andrew, merchants; became a commission merchant in Russia; m. Catharine Forrester; and d. July 7, 1829.
- 152—III. ABRAHAM⁵, bapt. Feb. 5, 1786.
- 153—IV. PICKERING⁵, bapt. June 15, 1788; d. July 17, 1788, aged one month, suddenly, after violently crying.
- 154—V. ISAAC W.⁵, b. Feb. 22, 1789; master of brig *New Hazard*, which was lost on the Goodwin Sands July 2, 1817, when he was drowned, the rest of the crew being saved.
- 155—VI. JOSIAH B.⁵, b. May 2, 1792; m. Jane Withington; and d. in Rosedale, Ohio, Oct. 8, 1831.

112

ASA ANDREWS⁵, born in Boylston, then a part of Shrewsbury, May 11, 1762. Graduated at Harvard college in 1783, and at the time of his death was the eldest surviving graduate. He married, first, Joanna Heard of Ipswich Oct. 12, 1788; and she died July 12, 1797, aged twenty-nine. He married, second, Hannah Farley Oct. 25, 1798; and she died Jan. 9, 1807. He married, third, Sarah Farley July 3, 1807. He settled in Ipswich; and was appointed by Washington, in 1796, collector of the port of Ipswich, which office he held for thirty years. He died in Ipswich April 13, 1856, at the age of ninety-three, the oldest man in the town.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 156—I. ELIZABETH ANN⁶, b. June 10, 1789.
- 157—II. JOHN DUDLEY⁶, b. Aug. 23, 1790; grad. H. C., 1810.
- 158—III. EDWARD⁶, b. July 26, 1792; grad. H. C., 1810; doctor of divinity; clergyman in Binghampton, N. Y.
- 159—IV. JOANNA⁶, b. May 16, 1797; d., of throat distemper, April 3, 1802.
- 160—V. THEODORE⁶, b. Aug. 20, 1801.
- 161—VI. CHARLOTTE⁶, b. Aug. 8, 1804.

115

NATHAN ANDREWS⁵, born in Boxford Nov. 11, 1754. He was a farmer; and lived in Boxford on the paternal homestead. He married, first, Esther Kimball of Boxford May 20, 1783; and she died Feb. 11, 1791. He married, second, Eunice Kimball of Ipswich Dec. 19, 1792. He died June 17, 1844, aged

eighty-nine; and his wife Eunice survived him, dying Oct. 28, 1845.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 162—I. MEHITABLE⁶, b. July 23, 1784; d. Sept. 15, 1784.
- 163—II. ROBERT⁶, b. July 31, 1785.
- 164—III. MEHITABLE⁶, b. June 13, 1788; d., unmarried, Sept. 3, 1870, aged eighty-two.
- 165—IV. SAMUEL⁶, b. Sept. 18, 1793; d., unmarried, April 9, 1879, aged eighty-five; lived on the paternal homestead.
- 166—V. ESTHER⁶, b. March 15, 1795; d., unmarried, Oct. 29, 1868, aged seventy-three.
- 167—VI. DANIEL⁶, b. April 13, 1797; m. Nancy Gould Oct. 15, 1844; lived in Boxford; and d., without issue, April 26, 1879, aged eighty-two.
- 168—VII. DEAN⁶, b. July 12, 1800; m. Harriet A. Perley April 4, 1838; lived in Boxford; and d. March 1, 1869, leaving two daughters.
- 169—VIII. EUNICE⁶, b. March 13, 1803; m. Abraham P. Howe in 1871; and d. in Boxford.

134

JOSEPH ANDREWS⁵, born in Topsfield May 27, 1763. He was a yeoman, and lived in Topsfield on the paternal homestead. He married Nabby Lefavour Oct. 13 (31[?]), 1797. He was living in 1810.

Children, born in Topsfield:—

- 170—I. JOSEPH⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1798; m. Eunice K——, who was dismissed to church in Harrison, Me., Dec. 10, 1837. One child.
- 171—II. MOODY⁶, b. Nov. 30, 1800; m. Mercy Perkins Aug. 20, 1822; lived on the homestead in Topsfield; and d. March 29, 1860. His widow, Mercy, m., secondly, Dea. Daniel Willey May 5, 1864; and d. June 2, 1884. Mr. Andrews had six children.
- 172—III. CYNTHIA⁶, b. Sept. 24, 1803.

PEQUOT SOLDIERS.

1639

The Comittee for the Pequitt-Soldiers did grant as followeth

To william whitred 8 acres in *in* exchange of 10 to be laid out by John Andrewes, afterwards mentioned.

To Andrew Storye 2 acres

To John Burnam 8 acres

To ffancis wainewright 8 acres: if he
hath not already any granted
To Robert filbrick the fame
To John Andrewes the fame
To Robert Croffe 6 acres of marfh
To Palmer Tingley 8 acres of land
To william Swynden 2 acres if he hath
had noe howfelott.
To Robert Castell 8 acres, if it be duely
demaunded wthin one yeare

—*Ipswich town records.*

WILL OF EDMUND INGALLS.

The will of Edmund Ingalls of Lynn was proved 14 : 9 : 1648. The following is copied from the original on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume I, leaf 103.

August 28. Anno Dom : 1648.

I Edmund Ingalls of Linne being of perfect memory comit my foule to God, my body to the graue, and dispose of my Earthly goods in this wife. ffirftly I make my wife Ann Ingalls fole Exectrix: leauing my houle & houflet together with ye Stock of Cattle & Corne wth her. Likewife I leaue Kathrine Skipper wth my wife.

Item. I bequeath to Robert my fonne & heire, foure pound to be payd in two yeeres time by my wife either in Cattle, or Corne; likewife I bequeath^t to him || or his heires || my houle & houflet after the deceafe of my wife.

Likewife I bequeath to Elizabeth my daughter twenty fhillings to be paid by my wife in a heifer Calf in two yeers time after my deceafe.

Likewife to my daughter faith wife to Andrew Allin I bequeath two yeerling calues, and injoyne my wife to pay to him forty fhillings debt in a yeers time after my deceafe.

Likewife to my Sonne John I bequeath the houle & ground that was Jerimy fitts lying by the Meeting houle only out of it the fd John is to pay wthin foure yeers foure pound to my fonne Samuel and the ground to be his fecurity: further I leaue wth the fd John. that three Acres land he hath in England fully to poffeffe & Enjoy.

Likewife I giue to Sarah my daughter, wife to william Bitnar my two Ewes.

Likewife to Henry my fonne I giue the houle that I bought of Goodman west, & Six acres of ground lying to it, & three acres of marsh || ground || lying at Rumly Marfh, and this the fd Henry fhall poffeffe in two yeers after my deceafe, Only out of this the 1^d Henry Shall pay to Samuel my Sonne foure pound wthin two yeers after he Enters upon it.

Likewife I bequeath to Samuel my Sonne Eightpound wth is to be difcharged as above in the promiffes.

Lastly I leaue wth mary the heifer Calfe that formerly she enjoyed and leaue her to my wife for future dowry.

Finally I appoint Francis Ingalls my brother, & Francis Dane my fonne in Law overfeers of my will, and order that thofe things that haue no particular Exemption in the will mentioned be taken away preffently after my deceafe: I intreat my overfeers to be helpfull to my wife for ordering thofe matters.

wittnefses to this will.

| | |
|------------------|----------------|
| william Morton : | Edmund Ingalls |
| Francis Dane. | his X marke. |
| francis Ingols | |
| his 6 mark | |

ALLEN NOTES.

Mary Allen (No. 2, page 7) married Dr. Roger Toothaker of Billerica June 9, 1665; and was killed by the Indians Aug. 5, 1695.

Hannah Allen (3) died Sept. 30, 1698.

Sarah Allen (4) was born about 1646, married Samuel Holt probably about 1669, and died, his widow, April 3, 1716.

Martha Allen (6) married Thomas Carrier May 7, 1674.

Andrew Allen (No 10, page 8) was born Dec. 20, 1685.

The ancient Allen homestead in Andover, was, I think, on the hill near Sunset rock. The family was, perhaps, of Scotch descent.

—*Charlotte H. Abbott, Andover.*

THE OLD HOME.

O little house lost in the heart of the cedars,
What would I not give to behold you once
more!

To inhale once again the sweet breath of your
roses,

And the starry clematis that climbed round
your door.

My sweet pink pea-clusters! My rare honey-
suckle!

My prim polyanthus all of a row!

In a garden of dreams I still pass and caress you,

But your beautiful selves are forever laid low—
For your walls, little house, long ago have been
levelled;

Alien feet your smooth borders, O garden,
have trod;

And those whom I loved are at rest from their
labors,

Reposing in peace on the bosom of God.

WELLMAN HOUSE, LYNNFIELD.

BY THOMAS B. WELLMAN.

Leaving the Lynnfield Centre railroad station by the way of Summer street, about a mile distant, near the junction of Summer and Walnut streets, stood the ancient Wellman house, which, with the farm of one hundred and eighty acres, was one of the old New England homes which have contributed so much toward making our country what it is.

The house that originally stood upon this spot was owned by John Smith. It was rude and small. About 1650, Mr. Smith conveyed the estate to Thomas Wellman. In 1653, another house had been built, although the pioneer served for generations afterward.

The second house stood on the western slope of the hill near the elms, and was the home of Thomas Wellman and his descendants of the name, for about one hundred and seventy-five years.

Traces of the foundations of the old house are still plainly seen, and the site is still visited by descendants of the early families that resided there, who carry away a brick or a stone, a stick or a plant.

The country around is beautiful, being wood, field and meadow, dotted with farm houses.

The site of the house, although near the street, is hidden by the towering pine, the arching elm, the spiral cedar, and the savin.

The bounds of the ancient structure can be plainly seen, and it appears as if additions to the house had been made at different times. The stairs leading to the cellars, which were separately constructed, were of stone; and at the front lies the doorstone on which feet stepped for two hundred years.

One night a little fellow was found upon the doorstep. He was taken in and reared to manhood. He married one of the relatives of the family, had a large number of children, and was at the battle of Lexington.

Not far from the house was the old well and the ancient flower garden. Still farther away is an excellent spring of water, which was named after Robert Bates, one of the early settlers, and a remarkably worthy man.

Thomas Wellman died Oct. 10, 1672, leaving three sons and four daughters. The mother's name was Elizabeth. Isaac, one of the sons, was a soldier in the war with the Indians, being impressed by the king into Captain Gardner's regiment Feb. 29, 1675-6. A grandson, Abraham Wellman, jr., died in the expedition which captured Louisburg in 1745. Several descendants served and suffered by wounds and privations in the Revolution, as well as in the Mexican war and the Rebellion. Drs. John and Jedediah Wellman were also among the descendants of the first Thomas, the latter being born here. Rev. James Wellman, D. D., was born in this house in 1744. His grandson, Rev. Joshua W. Wellman, resides in Malden, as does also the latter's son, Hon. Arthur H. Wellman.

One of the relics of this family is a cup which belonged to the first Thomas. There is, also, a razor hone of sea wood; a panelled chest brought over in 1640; and a child's chair, an elaborate piece of work made from the native hard wood.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT NORTH BEVERLY CEMETERY.

This burial ground was laid out and first used in 1715, when the church was established in this parish. The earliest intelligible inscription there bears the date of 1717. The following are all the decipherable inscriptions, bearing dates prior to 1800, that are now to be found there.

In Memory of
Mr JOSIAH BATCHELDER
who departed this Life
Oct 1749 In the
70th year of his age.

In Memory of
Mr JOSIAH BATCHELDER^R
who departed this
Life March 14th
1798 in the 89 year
of his age.

In Memory of
Mrs. MARY BATCHELDER,
wife of
Mr. JOSIAH BATCHELDER,
who departed this Life
March. 1st 1792, In the
78th year of her age.

Here Lyes the Body of
Hannah the Wife of
the Rev^d Iohn Chipman
who Died June 24th
1769 Ætat 61

of Excellent knowledge Pious
Prudence Worthy of most grateful
Remembrance.

Here Lyes the Body of
Rebekah the Wife of
the Rev^d Iohn Chipman
who died July 4th 1751
Ætat 50

Pictate Insignis, Sexus Ornamentum,
familia Exemplar, Conjugis Corona.

Huic tumulo mandantur reliquæ
Reverendi et admodum venerabilis
JOHANNIS CHIPMAN A M.
Academiæ Harvardinæ alumni,
Et secundæ Ecclesiæ Beverlacentis,
Per annos quinquaginta novem et ultra;
Pastoris fidelis;
Vin mente solida et eruditione utili conspicui;
Literarum sacrarum peritia præcipue insignis;
Verbum prædicando gravis et pungentis;
Jesu religionis amore penetrati,
Et præcepta ejus exemplo suo alios docentis;
Ecclesiæ præfidendo vigilantis et integri;
Toti gregi benevolentis et æqui;
Bonos omnium sectarum ex animo complexi.
Officiis mutuis socialibusq; fungendo eximii;
Domui suæ omnis virtutis christianæ exemplaris;
Prosperis minime inflati;
In adversis patientissimi;
Qui longævitate saturatus,
Firmissima spe beatæ immortalitatis,
Animam efflavit,
XXIII die Martii,
Anno salutis humanæ MDCCCLXXV,
Ætatisq; suæ LXXXV.

In Memory of
CAP. CALEB DODGE,
who departed this
Life March 6th 1798,
in the 84th year of
his age.

Here lyes ye Body of
M^{rs} Elizabeth Dodge
Wife to Cap^t John
Dodge who died
January y^e 7 175
In y^e 91th year of
her Age

HERE lies
The Body of
M^{RS} HANNAH DODGE,
Relict of
DEACON JOSHUA DODGE,
who departed this Life
May: 31st 1783;
Aged 84 years.

IN Memory of
Mrs. HANNAH DODGE,
wife of
Cap^t CALEB DODGE,
who departed this life
Sep^t 27th 1795. In
the 80th year of her
age

Here Lyes the Body of
M^r Isaac Dodge
who died Oct^r 19th
1 7 6 9
Aged 60

IN Memory of
M^{rs} JOANNA DODGE,
Wife to M^r
ISRAEL DODGE,
Who departed this
Life Oct^r 21st 1764, in y^e
20th Year of Her Age.

Cap. John
Dodge*

†
MR. JONATHAN DODGE
who Departed this Life
16th 1756 in y^e
† ear of His Age

Here lies
the Body of
Deacⁿ JOSHUA DODGE,
who Departed this
Life, Dec^r 20th 1772
in the 77 Year
of his Age.

Here Lyes Buried the
Body of
LYDIA the wife of
M^r ROBERT DODGE
who Died April y^e 6th 1759
In the 68th Year
of her Age.

Here Lyeth y^e body of
Mary y^e Wife of William
Dodge Who died Novem
The 31th 1736 In her
22nd year

IN Memory of
Mifs Molly Dodge
Daug^r of M^r Caleb
& M^{rs} Hannah Dodge,
who died Oct^r 25th
1773 In the 13th year
of her age.

* dy of
Peter son of M^r
& M^{rs} Jerusah Dodge
* o died April Y^e 12th
1723 in y^e 18th
year of his Age.

Here Lyes Buried the
Body of
M^r ROBERT DODGE
who Died Jan^{ry} y^e 1st 1764
In the 78th Year
of his Age

Here Lyeth the
Body of Deacon
John Grely who
died July y^e 22^d 1735
In y^e 76th year of
his Age.

Here Lyes y^e Body
of Sarah Grely wife
to Joseph Grely who
died Sept. y^e 3^d 1732
Aged about 31 years

Here lyes y^e body
of John Herrick son
of John & Mehitabel
Herrick who died
Janu^{ry} ye 21 1725/6
in ye 2^d year of his
Age

*Footstone. The headstone is unintelligible.

†Broken.

*Broken.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^r IOSEPH HERRIC^k
WHO DIED FEB^R
y^e 4th IN Y^e 73 YEAR
OF HIS AGE 1717

—
Isaac Hull*

—
IN Memory of
Mr. BENJAMIN JONES Jun
who departed this life
Jan. 4th 1776, in the
37th year of his age.

—
IN Memory of
D^r BENJAMIN JONES Ef^r
who departed this Life
June 23^d 1794, in the
78th year of his age.

*The sleeping dead shall wake to sleep
(no more,
But live all glorious by their Judges
power.*

—
HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF MR^s
MARY IONES THE
WIFE OF D^r BENJ^A
IONES WHO DIED
MARCH 2nd 1747^s IN
THE 31st YEAR
OF HER AGE

—
HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF ANNA
THE DAUGHTER OF
M^r SAMUEL AND
EUNICE KIMBALL
OF BRADFORD DIED
AUGUST 11th 1748
AGED 19 YEARS

—
Here lyeth the
Body of Elifabeth
Mechem wife to
James Mechem
Who died Nov^r
y^e 13th 1735 in y^e
52 year of her
Age

Here lyeth y^e
body of James
Meachem who
died Nov^r y^e 9
1727 in y^e 19
year of his Age

—
Here Lyeth y^e
Body of William
Prince died Jan^y
14th 1730/1 in 39th year
of his Age
Alfo William fon to
Wm & Sarah Prince
who died * 11
173 $\frac{1}{2}$ in y^e 5th year
of his Age
Alfo fix Infants
they have buried

—
Here Lyes y^e
Body of Barnabas
Reyment Who
died feb^{ry} y^e 14th
173 $\frac{1}{2}$ in Y^e 34th
year of his Age

—
Here lyes y^e Body
of M^r BENARGES
RAYMOND,
Who Died Feb^{ry}
19th 1747. in Y^e 51^{ft}
Year of his Age

—
Here Lyeth y^e Body of Cap^t
Ebenezer Raymen^d who Dec^d
May y^e 21st 1747 in
The 58th year of
his Age

—
HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
EBENEZER
RAYMOND
WHO DEPARTED
THE LIFE NOU^R
5th 1747 IN Y^e
16th YEAR OF HIS AGE

*Footstone. The headstone is unintelligible.

*Unintelligible.

CAPTAIN
EDWARD
RAYMOND DEPARTED
THIS LIFE NOUEM^R THE
6th 1727 ÆTATIS 60

HERE LYES THE
BODY OF DEACON
JONATHAN RAYMOND
WHO DIED JAN^RY ye
14th Anno Dom 1745
IN THE 77th
YEAR OF HIS
AGE

HERE LYES YE BODY
OF M^{rs} SARAH
RAYMOND WIFE OF
DEACON JONATHAN
RAYMOND WHO DIED
FEB^RY 17th 1747 IN
THE 77th YEAR
OF HER AGE

the 2 Children of Barnabas
And Jane Raymond

Rachel died ye
8th of June 1726
in the 2nd year
of her Age

Mary died ye
28 of December
1728 in ye 2 year
of her Age

Here lyes Buried
the Body of M^r
NATHANIEL RAYMOND
Who Departed this
life Janu^{ry} ye 8: 1749
Aged 78 Years
& 10 Months

Here lyes Buried
the Body of M^{rs}
REBECKAH RAYMOND
Wife to M^r NATHANIEL
RAYMOND Who
Departed this life
Decm^{br} ye 2^d 1760
Aged 89 Years
& 11 Months

IN Memory of
Mr. Nathaniel Raymond,
who departed this Life
June. 11th, 1789;
Aged 79 years.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r GIDEON REA
AGED 50 YEARS &
10 MONTHS WHO DIED
FEB^{ry} 19th 1749

Erected to the Memory of
Mrs. Tabitha Toutain
wife of Mr Andrew Toutain
who died May 15th
1792
Aged 24 Years
& 6 Months

ELISABETH TRASK
DAUGHTER OF M^r
EBENEZER AND MARY
TRASK WHO DIED
APRIL 8 1753 IN
THE 22 YEAR
OF HER AGE

JISRAEL SON OF
M^r EBENEZER
AND MARY
TRASK WHO
DIED JAN^RY 13th
1754 IN Ye 7th
YEAR OF HIS AGE

Here Lyeth the body of
John Trafk who died may
ye 130th 1720
the 62^{*} year of
his age

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} MARV THE
WIFE OF M^r EBENEZER
TRASK WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE IUNE 19th
1751 IN THE 48th
YEAR OF HER AGE

IN Memory of
Mr Josiah
Woodbury who
departed this
Life Decr 12th
1773. In the
64th year of
his age.

M^{rs} Hannah
Woodbury wife
of Mr Josiah
Woodbury, who
departed this
Life June. 12th 1761.
In the 47th year
of her age.

IN memory of
M^{rs}. HULDAH WOODBERRY,
wife of
M^r. JOSEPH WOODBERRY,
who died
June 8, 1773; in her
28 year.

*Changed to 73 or vice versa.

IN Memory of
ISRAEL WOODBURY *Physician*,
who died Feb^y

14 1797
in the 63 year
of his age.

*Give joy or grief, give ease or pain,
Take life and friends a way,
But let me find them all again
In the eternal day.*

Here Lyes Buried
the Body of
M^{rs} MARY WOODBURY
wife of Deacon Peter
WOODBURY died Nov^r 20 1763
In y^e 90th year of her Age

SALEM QUARTERLY COURT RECORDS AND FILES.*

Continued from page 86.

Court, 31 : 10 : 1639.

Present : Colonel Endecott, Mr. Ema :
Downing, Mr. W^a Hathorne and Mr.
Edward Holliock.

Mr. Phillip Verrin v. Joseph Pope con-
tinued.

Abram Whitheire and Jn^o Legg bound
for their wives' good behavior.

"y^e wo^p^l Jn^o Humphreys Esq^r" v.
Thomas Chubb.

John Webster and Thomas Oddingsall,
witnesses in case "de Micha Iver etc.,"
fined for absence.

Roger Scott bound to good behavior.

Constable at Lynn ordered to arrest
Joseph Garlick and Thomas Mercer and
take them to Boston goal.

*It appears by another record that the following
actions were before the court for 7mo : 1638 :—
Nathaneell Skinner de Lin v. Benjamin Parmen-
ter.

Mr. Houlgraue v. Tho : House.

Jn^o Pride, pott^r v. Anthony Buxton.

John Harison v. Mr. Jn^o Hawes and Mr.
Hawks. Peter Johnson was a witness.

James Haines v. Mr. Howes and Mr. Hawks.

Isaac Disberoe of Lynn v. Ann Burt.

In court for 25 : 4 : 1639, suit of George Roags
v. Elias Stilman, sr., is elsewhere mentioned.

In court for 24 : 7 : 1639, the suit of Jn^o
Woodbury, Peter Palfrey and John Balch v.
Elizabeth Babson is elsewhere mentioned.

"The wo^p^l m^r Em : Downing" com-
plained of Tho : Sams for speaking to his
maid servant without her master's or
mistress' consent, for coming unseasona-
bly on Lord's day and in nights, for being
contracted without consent of his master
or mistress by W^m Allen with their lies
in presence of Jn^o Balch and Mr. Ja :
Downing. To sit in stocks.

Goodman Witter v. Jn^o Pickering and
Sam : Bennet

Jury : Lieft. Davenport, foreman, Ed-
mund Batter, Lawrence Leech, John
Sanders, Jeffery Massy, Richard Braken-
bury, John Sibley, Edward Howell,
Richard Sadler, Richard Walker, Joseph
Floyd and Henry Collins [first seven be-
ing of Salem and last five from Lynn].

Nich : Browne, constable, had charge
of the jury.

Civil cases :—

Hugh Burt v. Isaack Disberoe. John
ffarington, surety.

Edmund Thompson v. "the w^r^p^l Jn^o
Humphreys Esq^r". Defendant's wit-
nesses : Edward Richards, Jn^o Abbie and
Daniell and Jn^o flute. Mr. Stephens' (of
Marblehead) boy or Mr. Maverik drove
cows out of Mr. Thompson's field.

James Molton v. ———. Henry
Stephens testified that he had seen cows
in Goodman Molton's and Mr. Tomp-
son's corn, and had seen Mr. Felming-
ham drive them often. Edward
Richards testified that the year before
he had seen cows owned by Marblehead
men in Goodman Molton's corn.

James Vnderwood v. Mr. Humphreys.
Micha Iver v. Tho : Tuck. Slander.
Wit : Jn^o Coak, Mr. Clark's man,
Charls Turner and Mr. Pester's man.
John Webster and Thomas Iddingsall,
absent witnesses.

Micha Iver v. Georg Dill. Defamation.
George Dill v. Micha Iver. Slander ;
"calling him drunken slave, & y^t he
would marke him for an ould Roage."

Abram Whitheir v. Jn^o Legg. To be de-
termined by Mr. Moses Maverik.

Abram Whitheir v. John Legg et uxore.
Slander.

Erasmus James v. John Legg et uxor. Defamation.

Phillip Kertland v. Geo : Keysar.

Georg Keyser v. Jn^o Pickering. Wit :

Timothy Tomlins and Ensigne Walker.

William ffisk v. Wⁿ Pester.

William Ivory v. Roger Scott. Defamation.

Tho : Tuck v. Micha Iver. Slander, viz :
"y^t he war drunck, respited a while."

Adam Hauke v. Mr. Bridgs.

1 and 2 of 11 mo. 1639.

Barbery, wife of ——— Clark, to be whipped for unchaste words, etc. ; and is "not to haue to doe wth this man Joans."

Joanes (who is a married man) to be set in stocks for drunkenness, and fined for his carriage with the said Mrs. Clark.

Charles Turner fined for false swearing. Wⁿ Pester, security.

Mr. William Pester admonished for excessive drinking.

Mr. James Downing admonished to take heed of such company. He "manifested great remorse which gladdened the hearts of his friends."

Mr. Jn^o Holgrave presented by grand jury, but nothing proved ; "to draw a note hear of & send to Boston to clear his name."

Micha Iver bound to answer Tho : Tuck at Boston. "See Jn^o Cooks deposition." Thomas Tuck bound to prosecute.

Geo : Dill fined for "drunkenes, & to stand att the meeting houf doar next Lecture day, wth a Clefte ftick upon his Tong, & a pap vpon his hatt subscribed for groff || p^rmeditated || Lyinge." Mr. Humphreys' security.

Jn^o Cook, same as above. His master Clark to pay.

Tho : Tuck same as above, except the paper is to be marked simply "for Lyinge."

Micha Ivers same as Tho : Tuck. He places as security his lot in the cove near Mr. Holgraves, by Dixies, also one-half an acre of land upon the neck toward

Winter harbor that he bought of Geo : Dill.

To be continued.

NOTES.

Francis Alcock of Newbury came in the *Bevis*, 1638, aged twenty-six, in the employment of Richard Dummer.—*Savage*.

Robert Alcock married Elizabeth Maron, daughter of Capt. Thomas Morong, both of Salem, Oct. 4, 1766 ; and had the following children baptized in St. Peter's church : Mansel, July 26, 1767 ; Robert, Nov. 27, 1768 ; Elizabeth, March 24, 1771 ; and Sally, May 16, 1773 ; and in North church, Ann, Dec 17, 1775 (when the father is called "jr."). He lived in Salem, and was a merchant, being a warden of St. Peter's church in 1768. They were living in Deering, N. H., in 1788 and 1789.—*Salem town records, St. Peter's and North (Salem) church records, and Registry of deeds*.

Martha Wright Alden, daughter of Timothy and Elizabeth S. Alden, born May 19, 1788.—*Marblehead town records*.

Henry Burchstead of Lynn was appointed, in Salem court, Nov. 17, 1735, guardian of Benjamin, John and Anna (all under fourteen years of age), children of Capt. John Alden, jr., late of Boston, deceased.—*Probate records*.

John Alderman was of Dorchester, 1634, and of Salem from 1636 until his decease in August, 1657. In June, 1636, Jane Alderman, probably his wife, was a member of the church in Salem. He had grants of land in Salem in 1636 and 1637 ; was made freeman May 22, 1639 ; and served on the grand jury in 1643 and 1648, and on the jury of trials in 1645 and 1646.—*Salem town records, Registry of deeds, Salem quarterly court records, and Savage*.

Elizabeth Aldrage published to Ebenezer Gray, both of Salem, Dec. 26, 1761.—*Salem town records*.

SALEM, November 22.

We hear that a Veffel is funk off Manchester, the Maft of which was feen Yef-

terday; and that a Cheft and fome other Articles have been taken up there.—*Essex Gazette*, Nov. 15-22, 1768.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

220. Wanted, the ancestry of Samuel Adams who married Mehitable Norton at Ipswich in 1664. F. N.
Springfield.

221. Wanted, the ancestry of Sarah Martin who was published for marriage with Freegrace Norton April 30, 1713. Marriage recorded at Suffield, under date of June 18, 1713. F. N.

222. Wanted, military services of Eleazer Putnam, born, Salem Village, 1665. *Indianapolis, Ind.* F. R. W. W.

223. Wanted, ancestry of Ann Wood, married, first, Theodore Price of Salem, second, Col. Dudley Bradstreet. F. R. W. W.

224. Wanted, ancestry of Thomas and Ann (—?) Palmer of Rowley, married, 1643. F. R. W. W.

225. Wanted, ancestry of Ann Hunt, married, April 7, 1654, Thomas Wood of Rowley. F. R. W. W.

226. Who was Priscilla Bartlett that married, in Amesbury in 1761, Reuben Lowell? B. P. H.
Salem.

227. Wanted, ancestry and family record of Benjamin and Hannah Buffington of Salem, whose daughter Esther married Stephen Chase Sept. 11, 1728. *Rochester, N. Y.* M. F. W. C.

228. Wanted, ancestry of Lydia Colver who married John Gay of Dedham in 1721. Also, record of their children. M. F. W. C.

ANSWERS.

125. Hannah Corning who married Benjamin Edwards about 1785 was daughter of Peter and Mary (Preston?) Corning, and was baptized in Beverly Sept. 30, 1764. Peter Corning was born April

12, 1733, and died Aug. 5, 1814. His wife Mary survived him, and died March 25, 1824, at the age of eighty-six.—*Ed.*

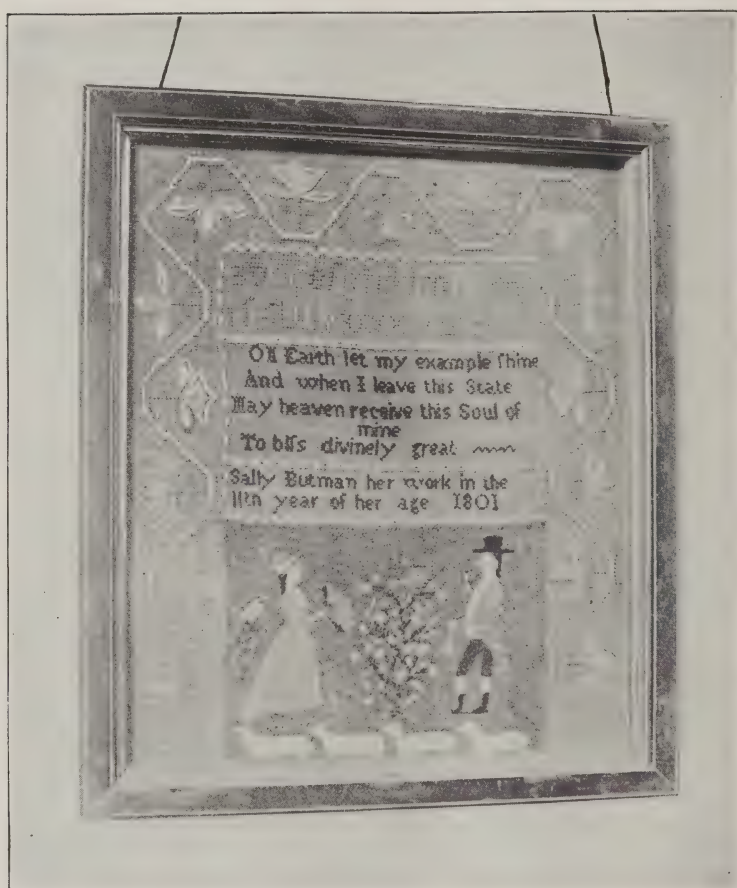
164. Rachel Tuck, daughter of John and Sarah (Shaw) Tuck, was born in Beverly Dec. 31, 1715. Her parents were married Nov. 8, 1694. Her father died when she was quite young, and she is probably the Rachel Tuck who married in Portland, Me., in 1736.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF NEBRASKA TERRITORY AND THE JOURNALS OF WILLIAM WALKER, PROVISIONAL GOVERNOR OF NEBRASKA TERRITORY. Lincoln, Neb., 1899. This valuable volume is issued by the Nebraska State Historical Society in commendable shape. It is edited by William E. Connelley; contains eleven portraits on plates and a Map of the Wyandott Purchase, 423 pages, and a good index. The journals of Governor Walker cover the period between 1845 and 1854; and those together with the remainder of the volume constitute one of the most important western historical works yet issued. Many notes, illustrative and explanatory, add greatly to its interest and value.

SARGENT RECORD: William Sargent of Ipswich, Newbury, Hampton, Salisbury and Amesbury, and his descendants, and other Branches of the Sargent Family. By Edwin E. Sargent. St. Johnsbury, Vt., 1899. This is a closely printed genealogy of the Sargent family of 331 pages; being well indexed, and illustrated with two wood cuts and thirty-nine small half-tone cuts of portraits included in the text, and four portraits on plates. The work is apparently complete, and shows the immense amount of labor involved in its compilation. The volume is well printed, and substantially and neatly bound in cloth. But for the author's compact method of presenting the facts, the book would have contained five hundred pages. The volume will be sent postpaid, by the publishers, The Caledonian Co., St. Johnsbury, Vt., for \$2.20.

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DANE STREET CEMETERY.

THIS burial ground was laid out in 1788; and the first person buried here was Mrs. Mary Allen who died in 1790. The following are all the inscriptions that bear dates prior to 1800.

IN Memory of
Mr. MOSES ADAMS,
who departed this Life
Oct^r 7th 1796,
Aged 37 years.

*Since by man came death, by man
came also the resurrection of the
dead.* 1 Cor. XV. 21

IN Memory of
John Allen, son
of Mr. John B. &
Mrs. Ruth Allen,
who died Oct^r 14th
1797, aged 13 month^s
*Suffer little children to
come unto me, for of such
is the kingdom of heaven.*

Here lies Buried
the Body of
M^{rs} Mary Allen,
Widow of
Cap^t Barnabus Allen,
late of Boston,
who died Jan^y 13th 1790,
Aged 71 Years.

IN Memory of
M^{rs} HEPHIZIBAH BAKER,
the wife of
M^r JOSEPH BAKER,
who died July 25th 1790
aged 47 years.

*IN death, the friend, the kind companion lies:
And in one death what various comfort dies!*

IN Memory of John Baker
son of M^r Joseph & M^{rs} Lucy
Baker who departed this life
March 9th 1792 Aged 3 year^s
1 month and 4 days.

*Mingling with Angels, they admire, a Guest
As spotless pure, & lovely as the rest.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hann^{ah} Batchelder
wife of
Jofiah Batchelder, Esq^r
who departed this Life
April 7th 1797
Aged 56 years.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Mary Batchelder,
wife of Mr.
Caleb Dodge Batchelder,
who departed this life
July 27th 1795.
Aged 31 years.

Here lyeth y^e Body of
Hannah Bifson wife to Jofhua
Bifson who died Sept^m 16
1726 in y^e 65 year of her Age

IN Memory of 4 sons
of Mr. Jonathan & Mrs.
Lucy Biffon.
Israel died Aug^t 14th 1787,
aged 9 weeks.
Also 2 twins born & died.
July 24th 1788.
Israel 2^d died June 4th 1794
in the 2^d year of his age.

IN Memory of
Mr. JOSHUA BISSON,
who departed this life
Sept 14th 1797. In
the 69th year
of his age.

IN Memory of
Mifs Martha Biffon,
daugh^r of Mr. Joshua
& Mrs. Eunice Biffon,
who died Novem. 11th
1793, in the 27th year
of her age.

*Weep not my friends, dry up your
(tears,
I must lie here till Christ appears.*

IN Memory of
Mifs Mary Spinney
daugh^r of Mr. Robert
& Mrs. Alice Spinney
who departed this
Life Jan^y 2^d 1794
Aged 27 years.

*Who was on earth by all her
(friends approv'd
And died lamented as heliv'd
(belov'd.*

IN Memory of
Mifs Alice Bridges,
daugh^r of Capt. Tho^s.
& Mrs. Alice Bridges,
who departed this
Life Sept 17th 1795,
Aged 18 years.

*Youth's beauty is a morning
(flow'r
Cut down & wither'd in an
(hour.*

IN
Memory of
Abner Chapman
son of Mr Abner &
Mrs Lydia Chapman
who died Jan^y 4th
1796,
aged 10 months.

ERECTED
IN Memory of
CAP. ISAAC CHAPMAN,
who departed this
Life Jan^y 23^d 1798,
aged 58 years.

*My Flesh
shall rest in hope.*

Here lies the remains
of ANDREW COLE,
Son of Asa & Sarah Cole,
who died Oct. 17th
1796,

Aged 8 Months
& 11 Days

*Happy infant, early blest,
Rest, in peaceful slumbers rest,
No delights are worth thy stay
Smiling as they are and gay.*

IN Memory of
LEIUT SAMUEL COLE,
who departed this Life
Jan^y 29th 1798, in
the 72^d year of his
age.

*Altho I turn to native dust
And lie for ages here ;
The grave my body will restore
When Jesus shall appear.*

IN Memory of
SARAH COLE,
Confort of
ANDREW COLE,
who departed this life
Dec^r 13th 1797, in the
31st year of her age,
A Loving Wife &
A faithful Friend.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hannah Cook wife
of Mr William Cook
who died Feb^r 11th
1796, in the 58th year
of her age.

*My heart dissolves with pangs unknown
In groans I waste my breath ;
Thy heavy hand hath brought me down
Low as the dust of death.*

IN Memory of
Mr. William Cook,
who died Dec^r 7th
1792, in the 50th year
of his age.

*Come here all mortals, cast an eye,
And go your way prepare to die.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hannah Corning
confort of
Mr. Joseph Corning
who died May 5, 1798,
in the 93 year of
her age.

*Father I give my spirit up
And trust it in thy hand,
My dying flesh shall rest in
And rise at thy command. (hope)*

IN Memory of
JOSEPH CORNING,
who departed this
Life July 21st 1788 :
In the 82^d year of
his age.

IN Memory of
Hannah Daland, Daug^r
of Mr. Benj^a Daland &
Mrs. Hannah his wife
who died Sep^t 13th 1796,
Aged 17 months & 7D^s

*Early in life, my God has call'd me home
To found his praise and bow before
his throne.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Joanna Danels,
Relict of
Mr. William Danels
who departed this life
Dec^r. 25th 1797 ; in the
63^d year of her age
high,
*'Tis God that lifts our comforts
Or sinks them in the grave ;
He gave & blessed be his name,
He takes but what he gave.*

IN Memory of
ABIGAIL DIKE,
Confort of JOHN DIKE,
who departed this life
June 19th 1797 ; In the
40th year of her age.
Also her Infant child buried
with her.
A loving wife, a tender Mother,
& a Friend to all, who stood in
need. *She liv'd belov'd &
died lamented.*

THIS STONE is Erected to the Memory of
Elifha Doggett,
fon of Mr. Elifha
& Mrs. Catharine
Doggett, who died
Aug^t 29th 1795,
aged 1 year
& 2 days

Mrs. Catherine Doggett,
wife of Mr. Elifha Doggett,
who departed this Life
Feby 23^d 1795
Ætatis 30.

IN Memory of
James Dowling, son of
Cap^t James & Mrs.
Lydia Dowling, who
died Aug^t 11th 1796, aged
22 months & 5 days.

*So it is not the will of your
Father which is in heaven
that one of these little ones should
perish.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Love Ellingwood
wife of Mr.
Benja Ellingwood
who died Aug^t
28th 1791, aged
34 years.

Love
Ellingwood,
daug^r of Mr. Benja
& Mrs. Love
Ellingwood
died June 17th 1792
aged 5 years 10 M

IN Memory of
Mrs. Sarah Ellinwood,
Confort of
Cap^t Joshua Ellinwood,
who departed this life
Nov^r 7th 1795, in the
39th year of her age.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Sarah Elliott,
wife of
Mr. Andrew Elliott,
who died Nov^r 12th 1789,
in the 36th year of her
age.

IN Memory of
MR. WILLIAM
ELLIOTT,
who died
April 10, 1798 ;
Æt. 80.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Anna Fellows,
wife of
Mr. Benjamin Fellows,
who departed the Life
Dec^r 19th 1794
Aged 311 years.

IN Memory of
Sally Fellows, daugh^r
of Mr. Benjamin &
Mrs. Anna Fellows,
who died Oct^r 9th
1796, aged 9 years
& 110 months.

In Memory of
LYDIA FISK,
Obt Jan. 4, 1798.
Aged 6 Years.

In Memory of
AZOR FISK,
Obt April 23, 1803
Aged 6 Years.

Children of John & Huldah Fisk.

*Why should we mourn, what can we say,
Why should our hearts repine;
Since God has pleased to take away
Two lovely babes of ours.
'Tis God that forms our limbs of clay,
From him our spirits came,
'Tis he that gives and takes away,
And blest be his name.*

IN Memory of
MR. JAMES FORD,
who departed this life
April 23^d 1798.
Aged 29 years

*Friends nor physicians could not
My mortal body from the grave,
Nor can the grave confine me here,
When Christ my saviour shall appear*

IN Memory of
Mr. Benjamin Foster,
son of Mr. Jeremiah &
Mrs. Anna Foster,
who departed this Life
June 10th 1799, in the 21st
year of his age.

*Weep not my friends, dry up your tears,
I must lie here till Christ appears.*

Betsey Foster Daugh^r
of Mr. Joseph &
Mrs. Elifabeth Foster
died June. 7th 1793
Aged 2 years & 8 M^s

*(high,
'Tis God that lifts our comforts
Or sinks them in the grave:
He gives, & (blest be his name)
He takes but what he gave*

IN Memory of
Betsey Foster, daugh^r
of Cap^t Joseph & Mrs.
Elifabeth Foster who
died Aug^t 6th 1796
Aged 2 years.

*My dear child how have I
Looked upon you with delight
And hope that we may meet again
In realms of eternal light.*

Erected in memory of
Israel Foster, son of Mr
Daniel & Mrs Judith Foster,
who died suddenly by the
discharge of a gun April 16.
1801, in the 21 year of his age.
Also in memory of three of his
brothers, Daniel died at *Havanna* June
15th 1799, in the 24 year of his age.
Ezra died Jan. 7. 1779, age 1 year & 3
months & Augustus died Aug. 4th
1796, aged 9 months.

*Reader furrow with piteous eye
The mercelifs hand of destiny
Which from a tender parent breast
With farry tone this welcom guft.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Elifabeth Foster,
Confort of
Mr. Joshua Foster,
who departed this life
Nov. 1st 1795, in the 29
year of her age.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hannah Foster, wife
of Mr. Josiah Foster,
who departed this Life
June 27th 1799, in the
25th year of her age.

*Behold & see as you pass by,
As you are now, so once was I,
As I am now so you must be,
Prepare for death & follow me.*

MR. THOMAS GENTLEE
Was lost at Sea 1798,
Æt. 27. & his four brothers
THOMAS son of Thomas
& Betsy Gentlee,
Æt. 19 years.
Obt. Oct. 11, 1815.

*God with his dart has pass'd my heart
When I was in my prime,
When this you see don't weep for me
Twas Gods appointed time.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Elizabeth Glover,
wife of
Mr. Peter Glover Jun^r
who died March 22^d
1794, in the 29th year
of her age.

*Father I give my spirit up,
And trust it in thy hand;
My dying flesh shall rest in hope
And rise at thy command.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Ruthy Glover, wife
of Mr. William Glover,
who died Nov^r 22^d 1798,
in the 23^d year of
her age.

*My knowledge of that Life is small,
The eye of faith is dim;
'Tis enough that Christ knows all,
I hope to be with Him.*

IN Memory of
MR. JOSEPH GREEN,
who departed this life
Nov^r 16th 1799.
Aged 33 years.

*So vanishes our state so pass our days:
So life but opens now & now decays:
This life with care & toil we spend,
So leave our dearest friends behind.*

IN Memory of
MRS. ANNA GROVES,
Relict of
CAP^t PETER GROVES,
who departed this life
July 26th 1798, aged 88
years & 10 months.

IN
Memory of
Mrs. Elifabeth Hafkell,
who departed this Life
Nov^r 28th 1798, in the
89th year of
her age.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Elifabeth Hafkell,
wife of
Mr. William Hafkell,
who died March 1st
1799, in the 52^d year
of her age.

IN memory of two children of
Mr. John & Mrs. Nancy Hatch.
Nancy died Sept. 11, 1799; Aged
1 year & 8 months
Lucy died Feb. 1, 1804;
Aged 8 months.

*Farewell happy children to
where joy forever dwells.*

IN Memory of Mrs
Sally Healy, widow
of *Mr. Hammond Healy*,
who died April 19.
1804, aged 30 years.
dau. of *Mr Benj Peirce*,
who fell at
Lexington battle
1775.

*Weep not for me dry up your tears
I must ly here till Christ appears*

IN Memory of
HENRY HERRICK ESQ.
who died Dec. 16, 1780,
Æt. 63.
Also ANNA Relict of
Henry Herrick Esq.
who died May 28, 1815;
Æt. 98.

*How bless'd are our parents bereft
Of all that could burden their minds,
How easy the souls that has left
these wearisome bodies behind.*

MRS. PEGGY HILL
Relict of
MR. THOMAS HILL.
Died July 28, 1794.
Aged 52 years.
There is rest in Heaven.

ERECTED
By her affectionate Husband
ELIZABETH HILTON wife of
HALE HILTON departed this life
April 9th 1799 aged 32 years.
*The best the dearest friend the tendereft
From so much worth how Dreadful tis to bear
But shall we not in heaven unite again
O God Permit me not to implore in vain*

HALE HILTON
Died Aug. 20 1841
Aged 81.

IN Memory of
MRS. JUDITH HILTON,
wife of
MR. JOHN HILTON,
who died May 6th
1796, aged 72 years.

SACRED
To the Memory of
William Homans Jun^r
A Son, a Brother & a friend
below'd died Feb. 17th
1798,
Æt. 24 years.

*Think of his fate.—Revere the Heavenly han^d
That led him home; tho soon by steps so flow,
Long at his couch Death took his patient stand
And menac'd oft & oft with held the blow ! !*

IN Memory of
ANNA LEACH
wife of WILLIAM LEACH
Daughter of Thomas & Anna Stephens,
who departed this Life May 24th 1792.
in the 33^d Year
of her Age.

*Unblam'd through life, lamented in her end
A tender Daughter, Sister Wife and Friend*

IN Memory of
Miss SALLY LEACH,
daughter of Cap^t NATHAN
& M^{rs} ANNA LEACH, who
departed this Life March
25th 1790: Aged 20 years.
*How happy they, who are prepar'd^(to die)
Death puts an end to all their misery;
And gives them entrance to eternal blifs:
How wretched they who are deny'd of
this.*

IN Memory of
THOMAS LONG,
a native of Broadstairs
in England,
son of GEORGE &
ELISABETH LONG,
who died Jan^y 25th
1796, aged 23 years &
11 months.

To be continued.

ALLEN NOTE.
Widow Anna Allen married Samuel
Bickford, both of Salem, Nov. 16, 1752.
—Salem town records.

THE COOPER.

Down from ancient Pipestave hill
 Came the oak logs straight and tough,
 Just the very best of stuff,
 For the cooper's needs to fill.

And for hoops both strong and fair
 White birches small and tender
 And young oaks tall and slender
 He procured from everywhere.

And he sat astride his horse,
 With his drawshave in his hands,
 Fashioning the staves and bands
 For each barrel in its course.

And each one, as in a mould,
 To perfection slowly grew
 As he wrought, a cooper true,
 In the faithful days of old.

COOPERS IN SALEM.

BY HENRY C. GAUSS.

The most important class of artisans during the period of Salem's foreign commerce was that of the coopers. Besides making the packages in which many kinds of commodities were shipped abroad, they conducted the packing of the more perishable, as well as the liquids, and divided the imports of wines and liquors received from abroad for shipment to domestic points.

The cooper of a mercantile establishment occupied a position of much dignity, and was an individual to be considered. Certain well understood perquisites, in the way of a contribution from each lot of goods shipped, were awarded to him; and the ability of shipments to endure long voyages and rough handling depended upon his care.

Of the cooperage of Salem there is not a remnant left, except the abandoned shops and the few surviving craftsmen. Yet at one time a very considerable portion of the men of "down-town" were employed in the cooper shops and along the wharves in the pursuit of hand cooping, which was no slight mystery.

Previous to the civil war the principal products of the cooper shops of "down-town" were hogsheads for rum, molasses and fish. The rum hogsheads were de-

livered at the distilleries which stood in the vicinity of Charter street, and the molasses hogsheads were "shook down" and shipped in their component sections to the West Indian islands. Numbers of Salem coopers went to Cienfuegos and Trinidad to reset the molasses hogsheads and to complete their cooping.

The fish hogsheads were filled in the warehouses on the wharves, the fish being packed with the aid of a primitive screw and lever, the last one of which was still in use in the Fabens warehouse at the head of Derby street within twenty years.

Making hogsheads was heavy, laborious work. The material was oak of the most obdurate kind and a hard day's work at hogshead making was a more exhausting task than is set any artisan of today.

The pleasanter part of the cooper's duties was in work on the wharf packing fish, or in the bake house packing ship bread, or in drawing from the pipes of wine or brandy smaller quantities for the supply of interior points. Of the former he carried home the cooper's portion at the close of his day's work, and disposed of his portion of the latter from time to time as he went along through the day.

Many of the Salem coopers went to sea as coopers of whaling barks on two, three or more years' cruises. The cooper afloat was not less important a personage than ashore, and his "lay" was next in order to that of the officers.

As the foreign commerce of Salem decreased, kegs for lead became the principal output, and Rowell's shop on Webb's wharf, Getchell's at the head of Phillips wharf, and Florence's on Cedar street in South Salem, practically supplied the lead kegs and buckets of the country for some years.

The last remaining of the hogshead shops were those of John Battis on Derby street opposite Charter, Phippen & Felt's on White's wharf, and the shop on Derby wharf last occupied by "Tom" Brady. The work in these shops was all hand labor with the adze, the shaver and the

jointer, and the principal feature of the shop was the immense fireplace whose chimney looked out on perpetual starlight, and in which the great hogshhead was set over a fire of shavings and chips to char the inner side of the staves to prevent absorption.

The use of machinery in preparing staves and setting up barrels together with the migration of the seat of demand from Salem utterly extinguished cooperage here and with it the thriving trade in "cooper's chips," one of the main sources of spending money of the boys of "down-town."

DESCENDANTS OF DANIEL ANDREW OF SALEM.

DANIEL ANDREW¹, son of Thomas and Rebecca Andrew, was born in Watertown in 1643; and lived in Salem, first on Essex street, in the house shown opposite page 171, volume II, of the *Antiquarian*. He sold the estate in 1677, and removed to Salem Village, living on the road to Wenham, near what is now Putnamville. He married Sarah Porter of Salem; and was a bricklayer by trade. He was made a freeman March 22, 1689-90; and died of small pox Dec. 3, 1702. His wife Sarah survived him, and administration was granted on her estate May 19, 1731.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 2—I. DANIEL², bapt. Sept. 2, 1677; d. young.
- 3—II. THOMAS², b. in 1678; d. in Salem Village, of small pox, unmarried, Jan. 6, 1702-3, aged twenty-four.
- 4—III. SAMUEL², b. in 1683; d. of small pox, in Salem Village, Jan. 12, 1702-3, aged nineteen.
- 5—IV. DANIEL² bapt. Sept. —, 1686. *See below* (5).
- 6—V. ISRAEL², bapt. Oct. —, 1689. *See below* (6).
- 7—VI. SARAH², m. Francis Dodge, yeoman, before 1731; lived in Brookfield, 1752.
- 8—VII. MEHITABLE², under eighteen years old in 1702; m. William Andrews of Marblehead Dec. 19, 1721; and he was of Salem, fisherman, 1731. She was a widow, of Danvers, 1758, 1759, and 1771.

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DANIEL ANDREW², baptized in Salem Village Sept. —, 1686. He was a bricklayer, and lived in Salem Village. He married, first, Hannah Peabody, who died before 1698, childless. He married, second, Elizabeth Peabody of Boxford Feb. 12, 1701-2. He died Feb. 6, 1717-8; and his wife Elizabeth survived him, dying, his widow, March —, 1740-1.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 9—I. HANNAH³, b. Nov. 19, 1702; m. Samuel Gott of Wenham, tanner, Dec. 16, 1723; and was living in 1752.
- 10—II. DANIEL³, b. Sept. 28, 1704. *See below* (10).
- 11—III. MARY³, b. Oct. 14, 1706; m. Bartholomew Rea of Salem Feb. 9, 1727-8. She was living in 1732; and he was a tailor, of Danvers, 1758.
- 12—IV. THOMAS³, b. Dec. 23, 1708. *See below* (12).
- 13—V. ISRAEL(?)³, of Salem, yeoman, 1740.
- 14—VI. JOHN³, b. July 26, 1712. *See below* (14).
- 15—VII. SAMUEL³, b. July 12, 1715; was a tanner, and lived in Salem, Wenham and Worcester, respectively; m. Anna Rankins of Wenham Sept. 1, 1739 (published in Wenham Nov. 1, 1739); and she was his wife in 1752. He died in Worcester in or before 1771.

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ISRAEL ANDREW², baptized in Salem Village Oct. —, 1689. He was a brickmason and yeoman; and lived in Salem Village, which was incorporated as Danvers in 1755. He married Anna Porter Dec. 22, 1720. His will, dated March 29, 1769, was proved Aug. 5, 1771. His wife Anna survived him.

Children, born in Salem Village :—

- 16—I. SARAH³, b. April 18, 1724; perhaps m. Humphrey Peirce, jr., of Wenham Dec. 15, 1748; and probably d. before 1768.
- 17—II. ANNA³, b. Dec. 26, 1727; m. Edmond Putnam of Danvers, yeoman (pub. June 22, 1745). They were living in Danvers in 1775.
- 18—III. MARY³, b. March 30, 1729. *See below* (18).
- 19—IV. EUNICE³, b. Feb. 7, 1732; m. Elias Endicott of Danvers, gentleman, Nov. 26, 1754; and they were living in Danvers in 1775.

- 20—V. HULDAH³, bapt. Dec. 1, 1734; probably d. before 1769.

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DANIEL ANDREW³, born in Salem Sept. 28, 1704. He was a yeoman; and lived in Salem Village, which was incorporated as Danvers in 1755. He married Ginger (Porter), widow of Elisha Hutchinson of Salem, Sept. 20, 1730; and died March 31, 1743. She married, thirdly, Josiah Herrick of Wenham Dec. 15, 1756. She was his wife in 1767, and was deceased in 1791.

Children, born in Salem Village:—

- 21—I. SARAH⁴, b. Aug. 5, 1731; m. Col. Jeremiah Page of Medford June 28, 1750; he was a brickmaker, and lived in Danvers; and she d. March 1, 1776.
 22—II. DANIEL⁴, b. July 13, 1734. *See below* (22).
 23—III. JOHN⁴, b. Feb. 28, 1736-7; d. Oct. 12, 1756.
 24—IV. NATHAN⁴, b. Sept. 30, 1739; cordwainer; lived in Danvers; d., unmarried, Jan. 23, 1768.
 25—V. SAMUEL⁴, b. April 11, 1741. *See below* (25).

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THOMAS ANDREW³, born in Salem Dec. 23, 1708. He was a cooper and husbandman; and lived in Salem Village. He married Sarah Jacobs of Salem May 15, 1735; and died in Danvers Nov. 30, 1759, having devised his homestead to his son Thomas. His wife survived him, and perhaps married ——— Goodridge before 1787.

Children, born in Salem Village:—

- 26—I. THOMAS⁴, b. Oct. 20, 1736. *See below* (26).
 27—II. ISRAEL⁴, b. Sept. 20, 1738; housewright; served in the French war in 1758 for the reduction of Canada; settled in Windsor, Halifax county, Nova Scotia; and probably d. before 1791.
 28—III. SARAH⁴, b. Feb. 20, 1741; d. March 10, 1751.
 29—IV. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Aug. 31, 1743; d. Jan. 5, 1745.
 30—V. ELIZABETH⁴, b. July 22, 1746; m. Edmund Heard of Worcester June 1, 1772.
 31—VI. HANNAH⁴, b. June 21, 1749; m. John Jenks of Salem Nov. 3, 1776.

- 32—VII. EBENEZER⁴, b. Dec. 24, 1751; lived in Danvers; d. apparently unmarried; and administration was granted on his estate Sept. 5, 1791.

- 33—VIII. AARON⁴, b. Sept. 29, 1754; lived in Campbells, Charlotte county, New Brunswick, in 1791.

- 34—IX. SARAH⁴, bapt. June 12, 1757; living in 1761; and was probably dead in 1791.

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JOHN ANDREW³, born in Salem Village July 26, 1712. He was a tailor, and lived in his native village. He married Elizabeth Porter of Salem March 17, 1736-7. He was living in 1769; and Oct. 5, 1772, her estate was divided among her sisters, indicating the decease of her children before that date.

Children, baptized in Salem Village:—

- 35—I. ELIZABETH⁴, bapt. May 28, 1738.
 36—II. JOHN PORTER⁴, bapt. Sept. 29, 1745.

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MARY ANDREW³, born in Salem Village March 30, 1729; married, first, Thomas Price of Boston Dec. 21, 1752; and, second, John Andrews Nov. 29, 1763. She was the latter's widow in 1798, living in Danvers. Mr. Andrew was a husbandman, and lived in Danvers, administration being granted on his estate Aug. 5, 1771.

Children (by John Andrews), born in Danvers:—

- 37—I. ISRAEL⁴, b. Oct. 17, 1764; living in Danvers, gentleman, 1794.
 38—II. JOHN⁴, b. Nov. 23, 1765; lived in Danvers; administration was granted on his estate Feb. 3, 1794; yeoman.

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DANIEL ANDREW⁴, born in Salem Village July 13, 1734. He lived in Danvers, and married Sarah Putnam July 7, 1755. He died Aug. 3, 1755; and she married, secondly, Capt. Henry Ingals of Andover May 18, 1757.

Child, born in Danvers:—

- 39—I. SARAH⁵, b. and d. before 1757.

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SAMUEL ANDREW⁴, born in Salem Village April 11, 1741. He was first a tailor and subsequently a yeoman. He lived in Dan-

vers until 1779, having sold his farm there the year before, and was of Sutton, N. H., in 1791. He married Mary Dodge of Beverly March 3, 1763; and she was his wife in 1779.

Children, born in Danvers:—

- 40—I. DANIEL⁵, b. May 13, 1764.
- 41—II. MARY⁵, b. March 14, 1766.
- 42—III. NATHAN⁵, b. Nov. 15, 1767.
- 43—IV. SAMUEL⁵, b. Jan. 16, 1770.
- 44—V. JOHN⁵, b. Dec. 18, 1772.
- 45—VI. SARAH⁵, bapt. April 25, 1779, in Beverly.

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THOMAS ANDREW⁴, born in Salem Village Oct. 20, 1736. He lived in Danvers, on the paternal homestead, and was a husbandman. He married Anna (or Nanny) Endicott Dec. 1, 1761. They were both living in Danvers in 1785.

Children, born in Danvers:—

- 46—I. ANNA⁵, b. Nov. 11, 1762.
- 47—II. HANNAH⁵, b. (d.?) Oct. 9, 1764.

SAMPLERS.

A century ago every little girl in well regulated families wrought a sampler, that is, a particular specimen of her skill in ornamental needle-work known by that name, the word coming from the Latin *exemplar*, meaning a specimen.

Samplers were generally about fifteen inches square, though of different shapes and sizes, being worked with many colors of silk on loose coarse canvas. They nearly always contained the alphabet, either capitals or lower-case letters, sometimes both, and in print or script styles. A precept or verse of poetry was frequently added, together with the name and age of the maker, and the date of its being wrought. It was ornamented with various artistic borders and fancy designs, and sometimes pictures, generally more or less crude, were worked, showing in some instances much artistic taste, and always patience and perseverance worthy of emulation.

The frontispiece of this number of the *Antiquarian* is one of the best representative specimens of a sampler. It is shown

in its frame as it is suspended from the wall. It was wrought by Sally Butman of Marblehead in 1801, when she was ten years of age. Following the customary alphabet is the verse,

"On Earth let my example shine,
And when I leave this State
May heaven receive this Soul of mine
To bliss divinely great."

With her name the maker states her age and the date, and fills the remaining space with a garden scene. In the foreground four sheep stand in a row. The lady has a fan in her hand, and the gentleman is offering her a sunshade. A little dog is reaching up its fore-paws to the lady; and on the central shrub is a peacock, while on the bush at the left rests a smaller bird. The border is elaborate and artistic. The whole of the sampler is nicely wrought; and the figures of the persons show the styles of dress prevailing at the beginning of the century. It is the property of the maker's grand-niece, Miss Martha O. Howes of Salem.

WILL OF ALLEN KENISTON.

The will of Allen Keniston of Salem was proved 27: 10: 1648. The following is copied from the original on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume I, leaf 105.

The 10th 9. 1648

I Alin Kenifton of Salem, being weake in body, but of found mind, doe make and ordaine this my laft will & Testament in manner and forme following that is to faye, ffirst I bequeath my foule into the hands of Almighty God trusting for faluation alone throught Jefus Chrif, And my body to Christian Buriall. Item I giue vnto Cap^t Hathorn fue pounds. Item I giue vnto Cap^t Dauenport three pounds, Item I giue vnto John Bayley either, a heifer or a Cow, Item I giue vnto m^r Curwin, & m^r Price. twenty Shillings apeece in money, Item all the rest of my estate not here bequeathed I giue vnto Dorothy my wife whome I make and ordayne fole Executrix of this my

laft will and Testament Witnes my hand
the day & yeare aboue Written

Witnes herevnto

W^m Hathorne

Anna Hathorne

*Item I giue vnto m^r Norris fifty shillings to m^r Sharpe forty shillings, & to m^r Bartholmew forty Shilling thefe three guifts were exprest before the figning hereof.

Witnes herevnto

W^m Hathorne the A mke of

Anna Hathorne Alin Kenifston

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

Continued from page 110.

Mr. William Worcester and wife Rebecca of Salisbury, for £30, conveyed to Mr. Henry Sewall of Nuberie 20 acres of meadow and marsh in Salisbury, bounded by Robert Ring, John Eaton, Edward ffrench, Mr. Tho: Bradbury, Jn^o Stevens and Richard Goodale, May 1, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, Willi: Titcomb, John Hale and Sarah Bradbury. Ack. by both May 26, 1662, before Tho: Wigginn.

John Gill (his □ mark) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Samuel Buswell of Salisbury, planter, 10 acres of upland, bounded by Sam: ffelloes, boggie meadow, highway from Salisbury old town to the mill, etc., wife Phebe Gill (her ♂ mark) releasing her interest, Dec. 26, 1659. Wit: Sam: Winsle, John Severans and Sam: ffellos (his f mark). Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Vallentine Rowell (his r mark) of Salisbury, carpenter, conveyed to Henry Blesdale of Salisbury, tailor, one-half of ye upper end of my lot of upland on west side of Pawwaus river in Salisbury, bounded by Edward Goe, Phillip Challis, etc., April 4, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Samuel Hall. Ack., and wife Joanna released dower, in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

Willi: Allin (his A mark) of Salisbury, house carpenter, for £8, conveyed to Edward Woodman, jr., of Nuberie, planter,

4 acres of marsh in Salisbury at Rocky island, etc., March 7, 1660. Wit: Morris Tucker and Mary Allin (her M mark). Ack., and wife released dower, in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

William Huntington (his 2 mark) of Salisbury, planter, for 55s., conveyed to Willia Osgood of Salisbury, millwrite, my division of sweepage at ye beach, bounded by Willi: Allin and Sam: ffelloes, containing one acre and 92 rods: also, 2 acres of marsh at Mr. Hall's farm, so-called, formerly marsh of Jarrett Haddon, bounded by Richard Wells and Steven fflanders; also ye fourteenth lot of upland at the Indian field on west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by John Weed, Tho: Macy, ye Mayne river and Indian swamp, all in Salisbury, 24: 1: 1662. Joanna Huntington (her — mark) also signs. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and John Hoyt (his H mark).

Rich: Goodale, sr. (his A mark), of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Georg Martyn of Salisbury, planter, 20 acres of upland in Salisbury, west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by Henry Blasdale (sometimes Jn^o Harison's), Robert Codnam, Merrimack river and common land, 5: 2 mo: 1662. Wit: Sam: Hall and Richard Currier. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

The accommodations of Richard Singletary of Haverhill: 6 acres to his house lot, bounded by Tho: Witcher and Edward Clarke; 4 acres in Thomas Witcher's house lot, bounded by Daniell Hendrick and Tho: Witcher; 11 acres of upland on ye brick kiln plain, bounded by Mr. Ward and Tho: Witcher; 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ acres in west meadow, bounded by Georg Brown and Jn^o Woodin; $\frac{3}{4}$ acre in Hauke's meadow, bounded by Edward Clark and Jn^o Eyers; 4 acres in sawmill meadow on north side of ye river, bounded by Richard Singletary; 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres in ye farthest piece of sower meadow, bounded by Mr. Ward and ye pond; 2 acres in ye hither piece of the sower meadow, bounded by the pond and James Davis, jr.; 70 acres of upland, bounded by ye river,

Theophilus Satchwell and Tho: Lilford; 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres of meadow on west side of Spickett river a little above the falls, bounded by ye great river and John Hazeltine; and 4 ox pastures lying in Haverhill; copied from the town book, of general Richard Littlehale, clerk.

Mr. William Worcester and wife Rebecca of Salisbury, for £40, conveyed to Edward Goe (also Goue) of Salisbury, planter, and Willi: Allin (also Allinn), house carpenter, 120 acres of upland in Salisbury, at Mr. Batt's hill, bounded by Daniell Peirce, sr., John Clough and common land, May 1, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, Sarah Bradbury and Judeth Bradbury. Ack. May 26, 1662, before Tho: Wiggin.

Feb. 19, 1661, Elizabeth Blefdale (her N mark) of Salisbury, widow, for £9 10s., conveyed to Abraham Morrill of Salisbury, blacksmith, 4 acres of marsh in higledee pigledee lots in Salisbury towards Hampton, bounded by Joseph Moys, Willi: Osgood and Georg: Goldwyer. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and John Colby. Ack. in court at Salisbury 8: 2 mo: 1662.

John Bayly of Nuberie, husbandman, for the deed that follows, conveyed to Vallentine Rowell of Salisbury, planter, 3 acres of meadow in Salisbury, bounded by Rich: Currier, town creek and a little creek running up by Vinson's rocks, 5: 2 mo: 1661. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1661.

Vallentine Rowell of Salisbury, planter, for the above deed, conveyed to John Bayly of Nuberie, husbandman, 6 acres of meadow in Salisbury, bounded by Tho: Dumer (now of said Bayly) and Anthony Colby towards ye ferry, April 5, 1661. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1661.

Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Vallentine Rowell of Salisbury, planter, 2 acres of upland in Salisbury, on west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by John Weed, John Bayly, deceased, and highway, April 5, 1661. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1661.

Whereas John Pike in his will gave £20 to the wife and children of his son in law

Daniell Hendrick of Haverhill, said Daniel now conveys to my brother John Pike of Nuberie and Robert Pike of Salisbury, ex'rs of said will, land granted to me by Haverhill in the 4th division, for the use of my children, viz: sons Daniel, John, Jotham and Jabez, and daughters Hannah and Dorathie, March 27, 1662. Wit: John Cheney, sr., and Nathanel Boulter. Ack. in court at Ipswich March 25, 1662.

Daniell Hendrick of Haverhill, husbandman, for £200, conveyed to my brother John Pike of Nuberie, my house and 12 acres of land in Haverhill, bounded by Richard Singletery and highway; also, 8 acres in ye plain, bounded by Mr. Ward and Robert Clements; also, 6 acres in ye east meadow; also, my third division of land in Haverhill; also, some cattle and a commonage in Haverhill, March 27, 1662. Wit: Robert Pike and John Cheney, sr. Ack. in court at Ipswich March 25, 1662.

Thomas Moulton of York, planter, conveyed to Robert Smith of Hampton upland in ye east field, bounded by highway, cove, etc., under agreement made in 1654, before I made any sale to Mr. Timothy Dalton, July 11, 1662. Wit: Sam: Dudley and Humphrey Willfon. Ack. July 11, 1662, before Tho: Wiggin.

Robert Tuck of Hampton, vintner, for £10, conveyed to Sam: Tilton of Hampton 20 acres of upland in Hampton, bounded by Anthony *Satian*, Willia Swaine or his heirs, highway, etc., Oct. 5, 1661.

George Walton of Portsmouth, vintner, conveyed to Henry Robie of Hampton the dwelling house where I now dwell and one new dwelling house, barn, etc., and farm, all on ye great island in Pascatoqua river, and certain live stock and household goods, Aug. 1, 1662. Wit: Andrew Wiggin and Mary Wiggin. Ack. 12: 7: 1662 before Tho: Wiggin.

Henry Green of Hampton, millwright, conveyed to Jn^o Marian of Hampton one share in Hampton cow common April 20, 1660. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Jn^o Cleford. Ack. in court at Hampton Oct. 14, 1662.

Thomas Ward of Hampton conveyed to Jn^o Marian of Hampton swamp in Hampton twice granted, one piece (with 30 rods of upland) at the north end of my house lot, and is now in the hands of Jasper Blake, bounded by Giles fuller, John Godfrey and grantee (sometime in the hands of Henry Ambrose); the other lot (which was granted to me) lies below Jefferie Mingay's seller, 10 rods wide and same length as the other Wigwam lots, bounded by Jeffery Mingay and Henry Ambros (now in the hands of Phillip Fowle), May 16, 1661. Wit: Abraham Pirkins, sr., and Abraha Pirkins, jr. Ack. in court at Hampton Oct. 14, 1662.

Nathanell Batcheller of Hampton conveyed to Samuel Tilton of Hampton 3 acres of salt marsh in Hampton, bounded by Henry Moulton (now in the hands of William Swayn or his heirs), fals river, Mr. Hussey and river, July 4, 1662. Wit: Jn^o Barsham and Willi: Moulton. Ack. in court at Hampton 14:8:1662.

Robert Tuck of Hampton, vintner, for £10, conveyed to Samuel Tilton of Hampton 20 acres of upland in Hampton, bounded by Anthony Stanian, William Swain or his heirs, common and common way, Oct. 5, 1661. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Willi: ffeild. Ack., and Joanna Tuck released dower, before Tho: Wiggin 12:8 mo: 1662.

William Pile of Dover upon Pascottoqua, for £40 in neat cattle, conveyed to Richard Swain (also Swaine) of Nantuckett 1-10 of the patent of the Island of Nantuckett purchased by the English upon the island, with power to call Mr. Coyfyn or any other agents to account, July 2, 1663. Wit: Walter Barefoote, Robert Cutt and Nathanell Starbuck. Ack. in court at Dover July 2, 1663, p. Elies Stileman, clr.

Henry Ambros (also Ambross) of Hampton, for £50, conveyed to John Wheelwrite, pastor of the church of Hampton, my now dwelling house, barn, etc., and houselot, Oct. 20, 1647. Wit: Jefferie Mingay. Ack. 28:7:1648 before Richard Saltingstall.

Richard Swaine (his R mark) of ye Island of Nantucket, husbandman, for £20, conveyed to Nathanell Boulter of Hampton, planter, $\frac{1}{2}$ of "the within purchased premises," the grantee to "allow his pportion of land vnto the accomodating of tenn tradefimen according to y^e Agreement^t of y^e Company belonging to Nantuckett," July 6, 1663. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, sr., and Judeth Bradbury. Ack. July 17, 1663, before Robert Pike, assotiate.

Richard Swaine (his R mark) of Hampton, husbandman, appoints his son-in-law Nathanell Boulter of Hampton his attorney Sept. 4, 1660. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Nath: Wiere. Ack. Sept. 11, 1662, before Brian Pendleton, commissioner.

Thomas King (his \sqcap mark), Jn^o Warrin (his I W: mark), Jn^o Gillman and Nicolas Lisson engage to set up a dam to secure Umphrey Wilson from any annoyance of water by reason of ye new mill dam that is set up, the dam to be made by the owners of ye mills, viz: Mr. Jn^o Cutts, Edward Hilton, jr., John Warrin, Thomas King and others, owners of one-half, John Gilman of one-quarter, and Nicolas Leeson of one-quarter, 16:8:1659. Wit: Edward Hilton and John Robinson.

Edmond Littlefeild and Griffyn Mountigu deposed that the inhabitants of Exeter granted to Thomas Wilson liberty to draw water from the higher falls, either by digging through the rocks or by damming, and also granted to him the island that his house stands on, reserving liberty for landing their canoes and laying of fish. Taken before Henry Boade 7:9 mo: 1651.

John Compton and Robert Reade (also, Read) deposed as above (the island is near the falls). Sworn to 2:10 mo: 1651, before Increase Nowell. Edward Rawson, recorder, certifies that this is a true copy of the original.

Will of Abraham Morrill (his A M mark). To my wife one-half of my estate. To my eldest son Isaac Morrill

a double portion, to be paid when he is of age or married. Residue to my other five children, Abraham, Jacob, Sarah, Moses and Lidia Morrill (all under age and unmarried). My wife and son Isaac, executors. My loving friend Mr. Tho: Bradbury and my loving brother Job Clement, overseers. Wit: Jn^o Stebins, Tobias Davis, Roda Remington and Mary Wise. Proved in court at Hampton, by Tobias Davis and M^{rs}. Rhoda Remington, Oct. 14, 1662. The widow accepted executorship at same time.

Inventory of estate of Abraham Morrill, deceased, appraised by Tho: Barnard, John Weed and William Barnes (his \triangleright mark), and sworn to by Sarah Morrill, executrix. Had dwelling house, land on the neck at old town, in Mr. Hall's farm, in new meadows, in great meadows, two higlede piglede lots, land in bare berie meadows, two sweepages, house and lot at ye town, $\frac{1}{3}$ of corn mill at Haverhill, part of a vessel, debts due from Henry Sawyer and Richard Currier. Amount, real estate, £491; personal, £16; total, £507.

Thomas Coleman of Hampton, for £16, conveyed to John Jonson of Hampton six acres of upland, bounded by highway to beach, John Huggin and Peter Jonson, and a share in ox common, Aug. 29, 1662. Wit: Christopher Hussey, John Barsham and Mary Colman. Ack. by Sam: Dalton, attorney of grantor, June 22, 1662, before Tho: Wiggin.

2: 8 mo: 1661, Nathanel Starbuck of Dover conveyed to Peter Coffyn of Dover one dwelling house at Cochequa in Dover and two acres of land belonging to it; also, 100 acres of land and one-half of the fresh marsh that was lately my father Edward Starbuck's on Nechawacke river; also, 30 acres of land and 6 acres of salt marsh that was my father's lying on south-east side of ye great bay in Pascattoquoch river. Wit: John Mayo and Allexander Adames. Ack. Oct. 8, 1662, before R. Bellingham, Dep. Gov.

Richard Currier of Salisbury, planter, for love, to my son and daughter Samuell

ffoot and wife Hannah the dwelling house and land I bought of Georg Martyn in Salisbury new town, bounded by ye street and John Hoyt, jr.; also, ye landing place by Pawwau river, formerly said Martyn's, May 5, 1661. Wit: Sam: Winsley, sr., and Phillip Challis. Ack. in court at Hampton Oct. 14, 1662.

To be continued.

NOTES.

Polly and Eliza, children of John and Polly Allgreen, born Sept. 5, 1798.

Thomas Allgreen, married Polly Parsons Aug. 17, 1796.

Betsy, daughter of Mr. Allgreen, died Sept. 28, 1798.

Rachel, daughter of Mr. Allgreen, died Oct. 18, 1798.

Mary, daughter of Mr. Allgreen, died April 24, 1799.

—*Newburyport town records.*

Boston, Nov. 28.

Laft Friday in the Afternoon, a Man named Andrews, belonging to Marblehead, by some Accident fell into the Water at Gray's Wharf, and tho' taken up alive, he expired soon after.—*Essex Gazette*, Nov. 22-29, 1768.

In the article on Essex County in 1643, on page 103, it should have been stated that Hamilton was set off from Ipswich in 1793 and Saugus from Lynn in 1815.

Thomas Alexander left goods in Salem when he was impressed into the country's service with Captain Lathrop. An inventory of his estate was taken 30: 4: 1676, and Samuel Eborne was appointed administrator.

Francis Alexander lived in Andover as early as 1741, being a yeoman. He died in 1746. Ch: 1. John, living in 1742; William, living in 1742; Francis, received his father's lands in Lunenburg by will, 1742-6;—(dau.), m. John Dinsmore of Andover before 1742.

—*Probate records.*

William Alexander of Londonderry, N. H., m. Eunice Plumer of Newbury June 3, 1771; and settled in Newburyport at

head of Federal street. He died there Jan. 5, 1805. He was a housewright, and also called wheelmaker in 1795.—*Newbury town records and Registry of deeds.*

Sally Alexander died Aug. 3, 1799.—*Newburyport town records.*

Elizabeth, daughter of ——— Alexander, baptized April 16, 1797.—*North church (Salem) records.*

Surtal Alexander m. Abigail Blaner, and had the following children: Lydia*, b. April 10, 1773, in Township No. 1; Sally†, b. April 6, 1775, in Township No. 1; John, b. Aug. 12, 1777, in Township No. 1; and Abigail, b. Aug. 26, 1788, in Haverhill. She died Dec. 22, 1805; and he died May 18, 1806.—*Haverhill town records.*

Mary Alexander married Samuel Sandin of Marblehead Dec. 31, 1706.

Edward Alexander married Honora Huxstable, both of Marblehead, Nov. 21, 1709.

Richard Alexander married Sarah Clarke, both of Marblehead, June 15, 1783.

—*Marblehead town records.*

James Alexander married Hannah Downing, both of Haverhill, April 12, 1796.—*Haverhill town records.*

Widow Lydia Alexander of Salem, 1775 and 1779, was daughter of John Woodwell of Lynn.—*Registry of deeds.*

Francis Alexander was taxed in Boxford for poll in 1731.—*Boxford tax lists.*

James Alexander of Londonderry married Margaret Wiley of Andover Oct. 3, 1749.

Abraham Alexander published to Mary Andrews March 3, 1785.

—*Andover town records.*

Feb. 3, 1796 a son of Thomas and Rebecca Alexander died, aged six months. They were strangers in Salem, and in the

charity house, he having come from Ireland.—*Bentley's record of deaths (Salem).*

Joseph Alexander published to widow Lydia Lander, both of Salem, Oct. 10, 1761.

Widow Lydia Alexander published to Will^m Armstrong, both of Salem, Dec. 4, 1773.

Polly Alexander married John Deadman, both of Salem, Feb. 11, 1787.

—*Salem town records.*

William Alford was of Salem, 1635, having come from London the preceding year, as one of the Skinners' company there. He was a merchant here. He married, first, Mary ———, who was admitted to the church in Salem in 1636. Children: Nathaniel, baptized March 21, 1637; Samuel, baptized Feb. 17, 1638–9; Bethiah, baptized June 26, 1642; Elisha; Mary; and Elizabeth. He married, secondly, Ann ———, and had a son John, born Nov. 29, 1658, died when two months old. Mr. Alford died in January, 1677, being buried the thirteenth. It was not then known if his son Nathaniel was alive. His son Elisha was then deceased, leaving a widow. His daughter Mary married, first, Peter Butler, second, Hezekiah Usher, and, third, Samuel Nowell, and survived them all, dying Aug. 14, 1693.

John Alford was of Salem, 1668.

—*First church (Salem) records and Savage.*

Joseph Allen of Salem, mariner, 1757; wife Sarah, 1767 and 1768.

Abraham Allen of Marblehead, blacksmith, mortgaged his new house, shop and land in Marblehead in 1761.

Timothy Allen, of Lynn, and wife Elizabeth sell land and house in Marblehead, 1660.

Timothy Allen of Marblehead, now dwelling in Groton, buys land in Marblehead, 1683.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Robert Allen of Marblehead, fisherman, married Deliverance Hooper of Marblehead Dec. 22, 1767; and had sons Robert and Moses Hooper baptized in Marblehead Aug. 13, 1769. He died, and

*"Jeremiah Parmer, son of Lydia Alexander, born April 6, 1794." "Elijah Whittier, son to Lydia Alexander, born Dec. 28, 1798." "John and Jonathan Doak, sons to Lydia Alexander, born Jan. 14, 1804."—*Haverhill town records.*

†Rebeckah, daughter of Sarah Alexander, born July 28, 1797.—*Haverhill town records.*

administration on his estate was granted to his widow, Deliverance Allen, Feb. 7, 1774. The son Moses Hooper Allen married Abigail Snelling of Marblehead Sept. 4, 1791, and had baptized in Marblehead, Nabby, Jan. 18, 1795; Robert, Dec. 18, 1796; and Abigail, Dec. 30, 1798.—*Marblehead town and church records, Probate records, etc.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

229. How, if at all, was Elizabeth Baker, wife of John^t, of Ipswich, related to the Knowltons of Ipswich?

North Cambridge. M. S. P. G.

230. Who were the parents of Sarah _____, who married Zachariah Goodale of Salem Village about 1690?

Salem. A. N.

ANSWERS.

125. Jonathan Cole, who married Miriam Haskins, was son of Solomon and Mary Cole, and was born in Beverly Sept. 2, 1699. A record says that Solomon's natural mother was Mary Cook. He died about 1713. Lt. Samuel Cole was son of Jonathan and Miriam, and was born in Beverly Nov. 17, 1726. Samuel's second wife was Abigail, widow of Zachariah Morgan, and daughter of Zachariah and Abigail Herrick. She was born in Beverly Jan. 8, 1730-1; and married, first, Zachariah Morgan (when she was living in Gloucester) (published in Beverly Nov. 26, 1752); and, second, Lt. Samuel Cole Aug. 11, 1774. The latter died Jan. 29, 1798; and his wife Abigail survived him, dying Oct. 13, 1823, at the age of eighty-nine, says the record. She was apparently ninety-two.—*Ed.*

220. Samuel Adams, who married Mehitabel Norton at Ipswich Dec. 20, 1664, was son of William Adams, a commoner of Ipswich. William was of Cambridge in 1636, and afterwards removed to Ipswich. He owned a house lot in Cambridge, on the south side of Brattle street,

in 1638.—*Miss E. Mabel Adams, Rowley.*

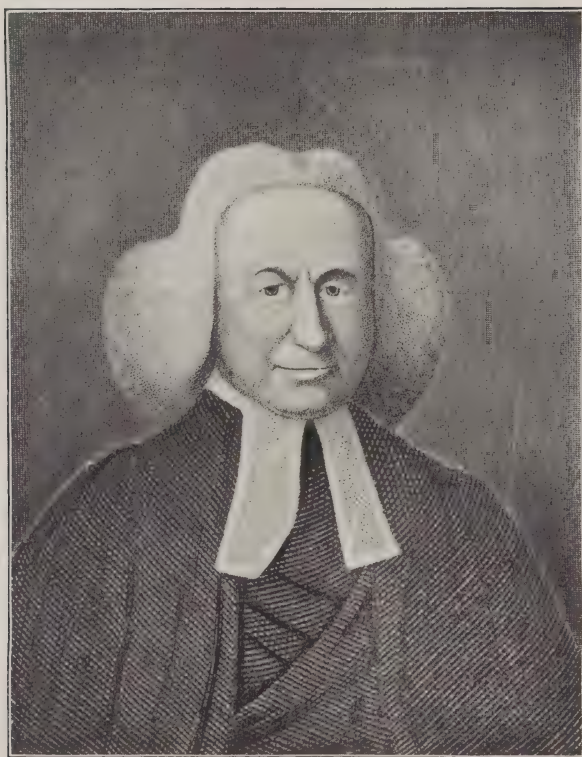
NEW PUBLICATIONS.

HISTORY OF THE TOPSFIELD ACADEMY, 1828-1860. Topsfield, 1899. This book of 119 octavo pages contains the history of the academy, written by M. V. B. Perley, and the literary exercises at the reunion of the teachers and students of the academy held Aug. 12, 1897. Pictures of the academy building and several of the principals are given. See advertisement.

NOTES ON THE FAMILIES OF TERRY, WHITE AND WOODBURY. *By Justin P. Kellogg.* Geneva, Switzerland, 1899. This is a pamphlet of forty-five octavo pages that the author has published, for private circulation only, as a supplement to his Notes on Joseph Kellogg of Hadley, which he issued last year. He gives some of the early generations of the families of which he treats on both sides of the water.

THE PEASLEES AND OTHERS OF HAVERHILL AND VICINITY. *By E. A. Kimball.* Haverhill, 1899. In a little book of seventy-two octavo pages Mrs. Kimball has given much genealogical material and family history relative to the old families of the eastern part of Haverhill. It is well indexed, and contains five beautiful plates, showing ancient homesteads and the old Rocks bridge. It may be obtained of the author, Mrs. E. A. Kimball, East Haverhill, Mass., in paper at \$1.00, in cloth at \$1.50.

THE MAYFLOWER DESCENDANT: A Quarterly Magazine of Pilgrim Genealogy and History. Boston, 1899. The Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants have begun a quarterly magazine with the above title. The first number was issued in January of the current year, and contains sixty-four octavo pages, being well printed. The price is two dollars per year. The design of the magazine is to collect and preserve all records pertaining to the Pilgrims, their ancestors and descendants. The initial number is attractive, the matter being illustrated and varied.



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REV. JONATHAN PARSONS.

REV. JONATHAN PARSONS was son of Dea. Ebenezer and Margaret (Marshfield) Parsons, and was born in West Springfield, Mass., Nov. 30, 1705. He was early apprenticed to a mechanical trade, but his great desire for an education being promoted by encouragement given to him by Rev. Jonathan Edwards of Northampton, he began preparation for college by himself while working at his trade. He entered Yale college at the age of twenty, graduating in 1729.

Apparently he had no design as to his future occupation when he entered college. He was not religious until he was half through his college course, when, while prostrated by a fever at his father's house, his mind was directed to eternal things by the danger he was in, and he became, as he said, very serious, concluding that it was his duty to join the church, which he did. At this juncture he decided to enter the ministry.

Before his departure from college Mr. Parsons began the study of theology under the direction of Rev. Elisha Williams, the college president, and also with Rev. Mr. Edwards, who had encouraged him in his studies at the beginning.

Although his ideas savored of Arminianism, he was licensed to preach and ordained over the Congregational church at Lyme, Conn., in March, 1731.

Some years passed successfully before Mr. Parsons became convinced that he was not a believer in Christ as the Saviour in grace, but rather had faith in his own righteousness. After a terrible mental struggle he was ready to receive the truth,

which ever afterward gave him perfect peace and great success in all his subsequent efforts.

Soon after this time the New Light movement began, and Mr. Parsons drank deeply from the spiritual spring, having been so lately a recipient of the fulness of blessing which the new movement so strongly emphasized. The great English evangelist, Rev. George Whitfield, and Rev. Gilbert Tennent, who were at that time arousing the entire country to a new and lively sense of eternal things, were often at Lyme, and always stayed with Mr. Parsons when they could. With them he labored in all the surrounding region.

In his early ministry Mr. Parsons paid much attention to his manner of writing and delivery. He was possessed of a logical mind, and was noted for his correct, clear, and even elegant style. But after he better understood the truths of the gospel, and salvation of human souls became the principal object of his efforts, his manner and diction were less polished and his style less flowery. But his sermons were enhanced in feeling and force, and his eloquence increased, as, under his new light, he discoursed upon the momentous subjects that filled his mind, being solicitous only that he be clearly understood. His rich and lively imagination made him remarkable as an extemporaneous speaker. One who often heard him preach wrote:—

“Oh! with what astonishing terror have I heard him represent the torments of hell, and the imminent, amazing danger of the impenitent sinner! With what

glowing colors and sweetly surprising language would he paint the glories of heaven and describe the holy and elevated joys of immortality ! In what melting strains would he represent the sufferings of Christ and his dying love to sinners ! So lively were his descriptions of the great Redeemer's excruciating sufferings, that the solemn scenes of Gethsemane and Calvary would seem to open afresh to the view, and revive anew to the imagination of his auditors, so that Christ might be said to be set forth crucified before their eyes, in his animated descriptions. With what alluring persuasions would he pray and entreat sinners, in Christ's stead, to be reconciled to God. Such was the apparent fervor of his spirit, and the tender emotions of his compassionate heart, that he would sometimes appear as a flame of fire, and then all dissolved in tears."

After the change in his religious convictions and faith had occurred, it is said that he actually burned the sermons he had previously written, as unworthy of preservation.

Mr. Parsons was of medium height, and had light complexion, blue eyes, and a prominent chin. His voice was clear and commanding, and his countenance indicated strength of character. His manners were easy and polished, though sometimes marred by his hasty temper, which will, education and divine influence had done much to soften, but had not wholly controlled.

He was well versed in Latin and Greek, and a well-read historian. Early in his ministry he became proficient in medicine, and practised it in connection with his ministerial labors for some time.

Difficulties between himself and his church necessarily arose after his religious belief had changed. He was probably settled as one having Arminian proclivities at least, and for several years preached the doctrine of works rather than of grace ; and when he frankly confessed his error and came out boldly and strongly for salvation in Christ alone, several of his people became his enemies, giving

erroneous reports of the doctrines he preached, and making his position there so uncomfortable that he asked to be dismissed, in October, 1745, which request was duly granted.

As a result of Mr. Whitfield's preaching in Newbury, in 1740, a number of the members of the Third church organized a new society, erecting a meeting-house on High street in 1742. They were called the New Lights. Joseph Adams of Byfield, a Harvard graduate, preached to them, and the society gained in numbers.

At the time of Mr. Parsons' dismissal from the church in Lyme, this new society in Newbury had become considerable in size, and, at the desire of Mr. Whitfield, Mr. Parsons was invited to visit Newbury. He accordingly left Lyme Oct. 28, 1745, and arrived in Newbury a few days later. "I found," he said, "a number of serious Christians in the congregation which I came to visit, who appeared to be understanding, solid, and in some measure established in the main points of Christian doctrine. But many others appeared of an Antinomian turn, full of vain confidence, self-conceit, false affections, etc., and some that were the greatest Christians in their esteem appeared to be worldly and covetous."

In January, 1746, the society invited Mr. Parsons to become their pastor. After much importunity he consented. Attempts were made by the enemies of the new society to prevent the formal establishment of a church and the settlement of a regular pastor. The installation therefore did not occur until March 19, 1746, when Mr. Parsons preached from 1 Peter, v. 9, "Steadfast in the faith." Without calling a council the church proceeded to install the new pastor. The exercises were very simple. The pastor-elect stood with uplifted hand and said, "In the presence of God and these witnesses I take this people to be my people ;" and the clerk of the society, in behalf of the church and congregation, then arose and said, "In the presence of God and these witnesses we

take this man to be our minister." They deemed it expedient to take the Presbyterian form of church government; and it is the same to-day, being known as the First Presbyterian church of Newburyport.

Mr. Parsons resided on High street until 1765, when he built a house on School street. In 1756 a new meeting-house was built on the corner of Federal and School streets;* and it is still standing, having been the place of worship of this flourishing society ever since that early date.

In 1770 Mr. Whitfield made his last visit to New England, and Mr. Parsons' house was his home here, as it had been at Lyme. At this time the famous evangelist, having been in Maine, came to Newburyport on a Saturday night to preach for his friend on the following day. But at six o'clock on that morning, in Mr. Parsons' chamber, he died from exhaustion caused by over-exertion. A few hours later, at the service when Whitfield was expected to preach, Mr. Parsons delivered to an immense audience a sermon from Phil. i. 21, "To die is gain." The remains of the evangelist were placed in a vault beneath the pulpit of Mr. Parsons' meeting-house, such having been the wish of the deceased.

Mr. Parsons survived his friend but a few years. His constitution broke down, and at the conclusion of a long and painful illness he joyously died, July 19, 1776, at the age of seventy. His remains were placed by the side of those of the evangelist. Fifteen years later those of Rev. Joseph Prince, the blind preacher, were also deposited there. And there to-day may be seen the actual remains of these distinguished divines, who in those early days were the subjects of the deepest hate as well as the sincerest love and reverence.

Mr. Parsons was a faithful and vigilant pastor, ever setting up the Bible as the

only and infallible standard of divine truth and unerring rule of practice. He had great success in the ministry, both at Lyme and Newbury.

Many of his efforts were printed: Letters in the Christian History, 1741; Sermon at the Boston Lecture, 1742; Letters on Justification, 1748; Good News from a Far Country, seven discourses, 1756; Rejoinder to R. Abercrombie's remarks on a fair narrative of the proceedings of the Presbytery of Boston against himself, 1758; Sermon on connection between true godliness, etc., 1759; Manna gathered in morning, 1761; Infant Baptism from Heaven; two sermons, 1770; Sermon on the death of Mr. Whitfield, 1770; Controversial Letters to Smith on Baptism; Freedom from Civil and Ecclesiastical Tyranny, 1774; and Sixty Sermons, two octavo volumes, 1780, the last being posthumous.

Mr. Parsons married, first, Phebe, daughter of John Griswold, esq., of Lyme, Dec. —, 1731. She died Dec. 26, 1770; and the next year he married Lydia, widow of Andrew Clarkson, esq., of Portsmouth, N. H. She survived him. He had seven children: Marshfield lived in Lyme; Jonathan lived in Newburyport, being a sea-captain; Samuel Holden graduated at Harvard college in 1756, studied law, became a major-general in the revolution and an Aid to Washington, who subsequently appointed him governor of the North-West Territory; Thomas lived at Newburyport and was a sea-captain; Phebe married Capt. Ebenezer Lane of Boston; Lucia married Capt. Joseph Toppan of Newburyport; and Lydia married Capt. Moses Greenleaf.

The frontispiece is a copy of Pelton's steel engraving of 1841.

ALLEN NOTES.

Ruth Allen published to John Somes, 3d, Sept. 15, 1792.

Sally Allen published to Moses Plummer Nov. 1, 1790.

*See Historical Sketches of Old Newbury, by Hon. John J. Currier, pages 508-525.

Sally Allen married Capt. William Card
May 3, 1791.

—*Gloucester town records.*

WILL OF JOHN WHITTINGHAM.

The will of John Whittingham of Ipswich was proved in the Ipswich court 27: 1: 1649. The following copy was taken from the record contained in the Ipswich Deeds, volume 1, leaf 48, the original being missing.

Anno 48.

In the Name of God Amen. I John Whittingham of Ipswich in New England Sick in body but of perfect understanding & memory, haveing Comended my Spirit unto God & my body to decent buriall in hope of Refurrection unto eternall Life. I say I doe in Cafe of death dispose of y^t outward Estate which y^e Lord hath Graciously giuen me as followeth.

I Giue vnto Martha my dearly beloued wife, the Houfe wherein I now dwell, wth the Land belonging unto it, & the moueables: After her Death my sone John to haue the house & Land, the moueables to be equally diuided amongst all my Children. Also I giue unto her fforty pownds by the yeare dureing her Life out of my Lands in England.

I giue to my twoe youngest Sonnes Richard, and William, to them & to their heyres for euer, all y^t Land together with the howses, messages, tenements, and other Appertinences now in the occupation of George Beckwell and John Randall, their heires Executors or Assignes Lieing in the parish of Southerton neere Boston in Lynkolnshire to be equally diuided betweene them, if eyther of them die before the Age of one & Twentie. the suruiuer shalbe heire vnto the deceafed. My minde & will is that my twoe sonnes Richard & william shal enioy their feuerall portions of howses & Lands at the Age of one & twentie.

I giue all the rest of my Lands Lyinge in the Parish of Southerton with the howses, messages, Tenements, & other Appertinances thereunto belonging, vnto

John my eldest Sonne. to him & to his heires for euer, to enter upon the same at the Age of one & Twentie.

I giue unto my Three Daughters Martha, Elizabeth & Judith y^t hundred & fifty pounds dewe unto me from M^r Pendleton for my ffarme Lately sould unto him as also all y^t I haue in the tradinge ftock of the Company of Ipswich the arrearages of all my rents in England & all the reuenues of my Lands their untill my Sonnes shalbe of Age that is accomplish their Seuerall Ages of one & Twenty yeares. all necessary Charges for the Conuenient education of my Children being deducted out of the same. my Daughters shall haue their portions payed unto them at twenty yeares of Age or the time of their Lawfull marriage. my minde & will is that the portions of my daughters shalbe equall & if any of them die before the time whereat they are to enioy their portions the suruiuers to be heires to the deceafad.

In Cafe of my Wifes marriage my will is y^t her husband shal put in sufficient Security to keepe the house in repayre & to make good the moueables accordinge as they are bequeathed to my Children.

I ordaine & make my ffather in Law M^r William Hubbard & my brother M^r Samuell Haugh & Martha my wife Executors, and Executrix of this my Last will & Testament.

I Appoynt the present Elders of Ipswich, M^r Nathaniell Rogers and m^r John Norton ouerseers of this my will.

M^r whittingham also at the same time gaue in Legacies vnto the executors twenty pounds apiece unto the ouerseers ten pounds apiece. to M^{rs} Smith twenty Shillings. to Hanniell Bosworth Twenty Shillings. testified by

William Hubbard

John Norton

Subscribed by me the day and yeare aboue written

In the prefence of

John Norton John Whittingham.

William Hubbard Junior

James How

Haniell Bosworth.

SNOW BOUND.

All night long the storm roared on;
 The morning broke without a sun;
 In tiny spherule traced with lines
 Of Nature's geometric signs,
 In starry flake and pellicle,
 All day the hoary meteor fell;
 And, when the second morning shone,
 We looked upon a world unknown,
 On nothing we could call our own.
 Around the glistening wonder bent
 The blue walls of the firmament,
 No cloud above, no earth below,—
 A universe of sky and snow!

John G. Whittier.

THE WINTER OF 1716-17.

This was a mild winter so far as temperature went, but since that time probably an equal amount of snow has not fallen in any other season. Cotton Mather said that the country was overwhelmed with it.

Snow began to fall early in the winter months, and it was five feet deep in December. Travelling was almost impossible except on snowshoes.

By February snow lay in great drifts, in some places twenty five feet in depth. In the woods it was more than a yard deep.

The greatest storm of the season began on February 18th and continued till the 23d, beginning again on the 24th so violently that all communication between neighbors ceased. The storm left the snow from ten to fifteen feet deep on the level, and in places for long distances twenty feet. The oldest Indians had never heard of a storm that was its equal.

On the day the second storm began, Sunday, the 24th, no religious meetings were held throughout New England.

The winter was very disastrous to animal life. Many cattle were buried in the snow and starved or smothered to death, some being found dead after the snow had melted standing and apparently still living.

Others near the sea, being blinded by the snow wandered into the water and were drowned. Many sheep and some swine and even poultry were lost by being buried under the drifts.

The wild animals of the forest became desperate with hunger. Succulent shrubs were buried beneath the snow, and deer found sustenance scarce; the bears and wolves, both being then numerous in our forests, also became ravenous and killed, it is said, ninety-five out of every hundred deer. This caused such a scarcity of deer that the general court passed an act compelling towns to choose deer-reeves, whose duty it was, as far as possible, to protect the deer. These officers were annually elected until the country had become so populated that the animals had entirely disappeared.

Fierce with hunger, bears, wolves and foxes nightly visited the very sheep pens of the farmers.

Multitudes of sparrows came into the settlements for food. Marine animal life was also effected.

Apple trees were greatly injured by the snow becoming encrusted about the boughs, breaking them down. Also, the crust was so strong that cattle walked upon it, browsing the twigs.

The "post boys," the carriers of the mail from town to town, were delayed for weeks after the storm was over. As late as March 25, they were travelling on snow shoes, the carrier between Salem, Mass., and Portsmouth, N. H., being nine days in going to Portsmouth and eight days in returning, a distance of forty miles. In the woods, he said that he found snow five feet deep and in places from six to fourteen feet.

Some small houses were completely buried in the snow; and everywhere paths were shovelled under the snow between house and barn, and also from house to house among near neighbors.

Snow shoes were in common use throughout the winter.

Coffin, in his history of Newbury, tells of Abraham Adams leaving through a chamber window of his house and going on snow shoes over the snow-packed valley and among the hills three miles away to visit his lady-love. He entered her house also by a chamber window, and he

was the first person the family had seen for a week. The young lady was Abigail Pierce. This must have been the first severe storm of the season as the couple were married on December 6th.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

DANE STREET CEMETERY.

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In Memory of
Mr. JOHN LOVETT,
who died Dec^r 13th
1792, In the 58th year
of his age.
Also Betcey his grand daug^r
who died of the small-pox
9th instant aged 10 years.

*Weep not my friends, dry up your tears
I must lie here till Christ appears.*

In Memory of
Jonathan Lovett 2^d
Ob^t May 9th 1796
Æt. 30 Years.

*God my redeemer lives,
And often from the skies,
Looks down, and watches all my dust
Till he shall bid it rise.*

In Memory of
Israel Johnson Mann
son of Mr. Perez &
Mrs. Abigail Mann,
who died Sep^r 12th
1793,
Aged 15 months.

Margaret M^cKeen
daughter of
Joseph and Alice M^cKeen
died May 28th 1795.
aged 11 months.
*Of such is the Kingdom of
heaven.*

Mary M^cKeen aged 4
years, and
Alice M^cKeen aged 2½
years, daughter of
Joseph and Alice M^cKeen,
died May 16th 1795.
*Suffer little children to come unto me.
Jefus Christ.*

In Memory of
M^{rs} Mary Moltson,
wife of
Cap^t John Moltson,
who died Sep. 29th
1791:
Aged 41 years.

*My days are spent, my race is run
Remember me though dead & gone:
Cease my beloved to complain,
My sleeping dust shall rise again.*

In Memory of
Cap^t EZRA OVER
who died Feb^r 28th
1794
Aged 47 years

*Beneath this stone, a prisoner lies,
The stone shall move, the prisoner rise,
When God by his almighty word
Calls his dead faints to meet the
(Lord.*

JOSEPH OBEAR ^{ju}
Son of Mr. Joseph &
M^{rs}. Catharine Obear,
who died Augst 3^d

1794
Aged 9 M^o & 11 Days.
*Hush lovely Babe
lie still and rest,
For God hath call'd
who thought it best.*

In Memory of
LYDIA OBER,
wife of Richard Ober, st
who died Nov. 7th 1796,
in the 72^d Year
of her Age.

*Friends nor Physicians could not save,
My mortal body from the grave,
Nor can the grave confine me here,
When Christ the son of God appears.*

IN Memory of
Miss. RUTH OBER,
Daughter of
Mr. Richard &
Mrs. Ruth Ober,
who died Aug. 11, 1796,
in the 23 year of
her Age.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Sarah Obear,
Relict of
Capt. Benjamin Obear,
who died Sep^t 5th 1795 :
In the 71st year of her age

IN Memory of
Samuel Odlin, son
of Mr. Samuel & Mrs
Mary Odlin, who
died Oct^r 19. 1798,
aged 4 months
& 25 days.

IN Memory of
Hannah Pedrick,
daug^r of Mr. Joseph
& Mrs. Abigail Pedrick
who died June 18,
1797, in the 5 years
of her age.

IN Memory of
Miss Hannah Peirce,
daug^t of Mr. Benj^a &
Mrs. Mary Peirce,
who died Sep^t
6. 1799,
aged 31 years.
Lamented by all her friends.

IN Memory
of Mr.
JOSEPH PICKET,
who departed this
Life Dec^r 21st 1797
Aged 81
years.

IN Memory of
Andrew Prince,
son of Mr. John &
Mrs. Eliz^a Prince,
who died March 16
1798, aged 5 month^s

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hannah Prince,
Relict of
Mr. John Prince,
who died July 9th
1797, in the 58 year
of her age.

IN Memory of
Mrs. Hannah Raymond,
wife of
Mr. William Raymond,
who departed this Life
July. 6th 1795
Aged 38 years.

IN Memory of
Ebenezer Rea Jun^r,
son of Mr. Ebenezer &
Mrs. Betsey Rea, who
died Nov^r 5th 1791,
Aged 15 months & 3 day^s
But fast a while, see there he lies
Inbalm'd in infant sleep, (eyes,
Then cease these tears & dry your
What cause is here to weep.

IN Memory of
CAP^t JOSEPH REA,
who departed this Life
June 13th 1798, In
the 63^d year
of his age.

IN Memory of
Lucy Rea, daug^r of
Cap^t Gedeon & Mrs.
Nabby Rea, who
died Aug^t 7th 1796
Aged 2 years.
high
'Tis God that lifts our comforts
Or sinks them in the grave,
He gave, & blessed be his name
He takes but what he gave.

IN Memory of 3
*children of Mr. Jacob &
 Mrs. Hannah Selmon,
 Jacob Ob. Nov. 29, 1796,
 Æt. 13 months Mary
 Ob. Nov. 2, 1802, Æt.
 3 years & 7 months
 Hannah Ob. May 24
 1803 Æt. 6 years & 5
 Months.*

*Sweet babes they are gone not here
 to be, unto a vast eternity.*

IN Memory of Mrs. MARY,
(wife of Mr. Will^m Spencer)
 Ob. Nov. 25th 1793.
 in the 26th Year
 of her Age.
 Mary, (*Daught. of the above*)
 Ob. March 25th 1793.
 Aged 4 M^o & 19 Days.

*My soul in thy sweet hands I trust,
 Now can I sweetly sleep,
 My body falling to the dust
 I leave with thee to keep.*

IN Memory of
*Two children of Mr. Eben^r
 & Mrs. Lydia Smith,
 Joseph died Nov. 20, 1797,
 Aged 29 days.
 Eben^r died Aug: 12, 1802
 Aged 13 mon's & 12 days.*

IN Memory of
 Mr. WELLS STANDLEY,
 who died Feb^y 6th
 1797 in the 65th year
 of his age.

*Weep not my friends, dry up your tears
 I must lie here till Christ appears.*

ERECTED

IN Memory of
 Charles Stephens, fon
 of Mr. John & Mrs. Sally
 Stephens, who departed
 this Life April 29th 1796,
 in the 5th year of his age.
*Short was his race, yet he must be
 (confess'd,
 A God allwise disposeth for the best.*

IN Memory of
 THOMAS STEPHENS
 who departed this Life June 21st
 1795.
 in the 58th Year
 of his Age.

*Farewell my friends dry up your tears,
 I must lie here till Christ appears.*

IN Memory of
 WILLIAM, fon of
 JOHN & SALLY
 STEPHENS, who died
 Aug^t 27th 1796, aged
 2 years & 2 months.

*While here the Body it doth rest
 We trust the Soul in heav'n is
 (blest.*

IN Memory of
 Samuel Stickney,
 fon of Mr. Samuel
 & Mrs. Edeth Stickney
 who died Oct^r 3^d
 1796. aged 15 Mon^a
 & 18 days.

IN Memory of
 Mrs. Mary Symonds,
 wife of
 Mr. Thomas Symonds,
 who died March
 29. 1796.
 aged 52 years.

IN Memory of
 Abigail Thiffel, daugh^r
 of Cap^t Issachar & Mrs.
 Hannah Thiffel, who
 died Nov^r 3^d 1794,
 aged 6 years & 20 days.
*Suffer faith Christ your little ones
 to come forth unto me,
 Nea blessed Lord let us believe
 accepted that she be.*

IN Memory of
Mr. Jefery Thiffell,
who died Aug^t 29th
1794, in the 78th year
of his age.

*My foul come, meditate the day
And think how near it stands
When thou must quit this house of clay
And fly to unknown lands.*

ERECTED
IN Memory of
MR. ISAAC THORNDIKE,
who departed this life
March 3^d 1798,
Aged 26 years.

*He came forth like a flower
and is cut down.*

IN memory of
Joanna Thorndike
Daug^r of Mr. Henry
& Mrs. Eliz. Thorndik^e
who died Sep^t 28th
1796, Aged 11 month^s
& 19 days.

IN Memory of
COL^O LARKIN THORNDIK^E
who departed this life
Dec^r 19th 1796,
in the 67th year
of his age.

IN Memory of
William Thorndike,
son of Cap^t Jeremiah &
Mrs. Haphz^h Thorndike
who died Jan^y 4th
1799, aged 9 days.

*Suffer little children
to come unto me.*

IN Memory of
MRS. ABIGAIL TUCK
Relict of
MR. WILLIAM TUCK,
who departed this
life Sep^t 30th 1798,
aged 44 years & 6
months.

*Weep not my friends dry up
(your tears
I must lie here till Christ
(appears.*

IN Memory of
Mrs. Sufannah Wales,
wife of
Mr. David Wales,
who departed this life
May 27th 1799, in the
27th year of her age.
*My times are in thy hand I cried
Tho' I draw near the grave
Thou art the refuge where I hide
The God that doeth me save.*

THIS stone is Erected in memory of

Mrs. ANNA WALLACE,
Confort of
CAP. JOHN WALLACE,
who departed this life
May 22^d 1798, in the
35th year of her age.
A loving wife, a tender
mother, a friend of all who
stood in need; she liv'd
beloved & died lamented.

Anna Wallace
daug^r of Cap^t Jno
& Mrs. Anna Wallace^e
who died Oct. 24
1797 aged 4 years
& 2 months

IN Memory of
MR. EBENEZER WALLIS,
who departed this life
Feb^y 8th 1797, in the
55th year of his age.

IN Memory of
Luther Wallis, son
of Mr. Bartholome^w
& Mrs. Edeth Wallis,
who died Sep^t 29th
1796, aged 2 years
& 2 months.

Israel Whitney
aged one year
and 10 months,
son of Elifha &
Eunice Whitney,
who died Oct^r 8th
1795.

In memory of
GEORGE WOODBERRY,
who died Oct. 27, 1838,
Aged 59.

Also
CHARLES WOODBERRY,
who died
at St. Domingo one
of the West India
Islands 1799,
Aged 16.

*Lord we commit our souls to thee,
Accept the sacred trust,
Receive this nobler part of ours
And watch our sleeping dust.*

IN Memory of M^r
HENRY FRANCIS WOODBERRY^x
son of M^r CURTIS and M^{rs}

BETHIAH WOODBERRY,
who departed this Life
April 4th 1790: In the
19th year of his age.

*Come hether mortals cast an eye,
And go your way prepare to die;
Here read your doom for die you must
Like me one day return to dust.*

In Memory of three sons of
Cap. Herbert & Mrs. Hephzi-
bah Woodbury Jacob died
Aug. 10, 1807: Aged 23
years & 6 months.

*Adieu, my friends, forever ever gone,
His Soul we trust has put full Glory on;
The tenderest ties, could never him detain
Our loss we trust is his most happy gain*

Herbert died at Pas^{sa}maquod^{dy}
June 4, 1807; Aged 28
years & 4 months.

*This to survivors is a solemn sound,
Me thinks it says, see that you'r ready found
Oh fly to Christ and in him put your trust
He is a Saviour merciful and Just.*

Henry died at Havanna
May 27, 1799;
Aged 19 years.

*A solemn scene presents itself to view,
To earthly things the soul has bid adieu,
No more those active limbs shall ever move,
He's done forever now with mortal love.*

IN Memory of
Mr. Josiah Woodberry 2^d
who departed this life
Novem. 19th
1793,
Aged 27 years.

*Friends nor physicians could not save;
My mortal body from the grave;
Nor can the grave confine me here,
When Christ shall call me to appear.*

Nabby Woodberry
dau. of Mr. Samuel &
Mrs. Mary Woodbury,
died Oct.
7. 1794,
aged 13
years.

IN Memory of
Mr. Samuel T. Woodbury
who died April 15th
1797, In the 48th year
of his age.

*Weep not my friends, dry up your tears,
I must lie here till Christ appears.*

IN Memory of
Mr. Samuel Woodbury
Who died
Jan. 2. 1799,
in the 59
year of
his age.

IN Memory of
Mr Warren Woodberry
who died Nov. 20
1794, aged
23 years.

*When will that glorious morning ri^{se}
When the last trumpet sound
And call the nations to the skies
From underneath the ground.*

In Memory of
CAPT. JOSEPH WYER,
Obt. Jan. 15, 1818;
Æt. 75,
CAPT. JOHN WYER,
Obt. Oct. 20, 1796;
Æt. 26,
& WILLIAM WYER,
Obt. Sept. 11, 1815;
Æt. 17,
Sons of
Joseph & Sarah Wyer
who died in a distant land.

IN Memory of
MRS. LYDIA WYER
Confort of
MR. WILLIAM WYER,
who departed this Life
April 22^d 1797 Aged 26
years & 6 months

*From infancy to riper years I grew,
Perhaps as certain of my life as you;
But now in silent accents hear my cry,
You soon like me within the tomb must lie.*

DESCENDANTS OF NICHOLAS ANDREWS OF MARBLEHEAD.

NICHOLAS ANDREWS¹ bought house and land in Marblehead in 1676-7, and afterward lived there, being a fisherman. He was made freeman May 16, 1683. His will, dated March 15, 1696-7, was proved Sept. 5, 1698. He married Elizabeth Nicholson before 1672. She survived him, and died before 1728.

Children—:

- 2—I. NICHOLAS². *See below (2).*
- 3—II. JOSEPH². *See below (3).*
- 4—III. THOMAS², in England, if living, in 1697.
- 5—IV. ELIZABETH², bapt. April 14, 1695; d. young (?).
- 6—V. SUSANNA², bapt. April 14, 1695; m. John Sausor of Marblehead, fisherman, before 1730.
- 7—VI. HANNAH², bapt. April 14, 1695; d. young (?).
- 8—VII. MARY², bapt. April 14, 1695; m. William Bartlett, jr., of Marblehead May 9, 1709; coaster; living in 1730; and she died, leaving children, before 1748.

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CAPT. NICHOLAS ANDREWS² lived in Marblehead, and was a master mariner. In 1704 he was captain of the ketch *Repair*, which the French privateers chased on shore in Barbadoes. From the wreck he saved the goods, shipping them to Salem, to Philip English, the merchant, by the ship *Pleasure*, Capt. Francis Ellis; himself returning in the ketch *Susanna*, of Salem, belonging to English. In 1706 he commanded a brigantine called *The Beginning*. After 1722 Captain Andrews was an innholder in Marblehead, and continued in that employment as long as he lived. He married Mary Fairfield of Wenham, in Lynn, June 27, 1695. Administration on his estate was granted June 2, 1730. His wife survived him, being his widow in 1733 ("Mary Andrews died, æ 66, 27 Jan., 1740."—*Marblehead town records*).

Children:—

- 9—I. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Oct. 30, 1698; m., first, — Short, before 1726; and, second, George (?) Finch, before 1741.
- 10—II. TABITHA³, bapt. Oct. 20, 1700; living in 1727.
- 11—III. EDMOND³, bapt. May 30, 1703; living in 1727.
- 12—IV. PAUL³, b. about 1712. *See below (12).*

3

JOSEPH ANDREWS² was a shoreman and fisherman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Mary Girdler Nov. 15, 1694. He was deceased in 1744, and she was his widow in 1746.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 13—I. HANNAH³, bapt. March 8, 1695-6; m. John Vickery Feb. 25, 1713; and d. before 1746.
- 14—II. NICHOLAS³, bapt. June 12, 1698. *See below (14).*
- 15—III. THOMAS³, bapt. July 28, 1700; lived in Marblehead, fisherman, 1730; will of Joseph Nicholson devised land to him; living in 1746.
- 16—IV. JOHN³, bapt. Dec. 13, 1702; of Marblehead, shoreman, 1746.
- 17—V. DEBORAH³, bapt. March 18, 1704-5; m. — Goss before 1746.
- 18—VI. JOSEPH³, b. Nov. 27, 1707. *See below (18).*

- 19—VII. MARY³, b. Nov. 24, 1709; m. ——— Severy before 1746.
 20—VIII. WILLIAM³, bapt. Jan. 27, 1711-2. *See below (20).*
 21—IX. GEORGE³, lived in Marblehead, fisherman; probably d., unmarried; administration being granted on his estate March 24, 1745-6.
 22—X. ELIZABETH³, m. ——— Foster before 1746.

12

PAUL ANDREWS³, born about 1712. He lived in Marblehead; and married Mary ———. Administration was granted on his estate March 6, 1738-9. She survived him; and married, secondly, Henry Paine of Marblehead, shipwright, April 19, 1739. Mr. Paine was living in 1761.

Only child:—

- 23—I. PAUL⁴, b. about 1737, posthumous; mariner; administration granted on his estate July 15, 1761.

14

NICHOLAS ANDREWS³, baptized in Marblehead June 12, 1698. He lived in Marblehead; and married Deborah (Allen?). Administration was granted on his estate Feb. 28, 1736-7. She survived him; and married, secondly, Joshua Kimball of Marblehead April 7, 1737. She was living in 1751.

Children:—

- 24—I. NICHOLAS⁴, m. Susanna ———; wig-maker; and lived in Marblehead, 1765.
 25—II. WILLIAM⁴, m. Ann Cross Jan. 23, 1752; wigmaker; and lived in Marblehead, 1768.

18

JOSEPH ANDREWS³, born in Marblehead Nov. 27, 1707. He was a fisherman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Mary ———. Administration was granted on his estate Aug. 11, 1740. She survived him; and married, secondly, ——— Absley (or Yabsley) in 1741. She was "widow Mary Absley" of Marblehead in 1753.

Child (perhaps a son, also):—

- 26—I. MARY⁴, upward of fourteen years of age, and a minor, Feb. 19, 1753.

20

WILLIAM ANDREWS³, baptized in Marblehead Jan. 27, 1711-2. He was a fisherman, and lived in Marblehead, where he owned a pew in St. Michael's church. He married ——— Bowden; and died in 1746.

Children:—

- 27—I. HANNAH⁴, m. Benjamin Bowden, jr., of Marblehead, cordwainer, before 1764; under fourteen years old Jan. 1, 1746-7, when she went to school to William Crofts.
 28—II. WILLIAM⁴, eldest son; captain; fisherman, mariner, shoreman, merchant; lived in Marblehead; married Elizabeth ———, who survived him; his will, dated Feb. 3, 1795, was proved June 4, 1798. Went to school in 1746 to William Crofts.
 29—III. BENJAMIN⁴, fisherman, of Marblehead, 1778; went to school in 1746 to William Crofts.
 30—IV. JOHN⁴. *See below (30).*

30

JOHN ANDREWS⁴, lived in Marblehead, and was a shoreman. He married Lois Nicholson of Marblehead. His will, dated Sept. 7, 1757, was proved Oct. 10, 1757. She survived him, and married, secondly, Samuel Hooper of Marblehead, mariner, before 1759. She was his wife in 1765.

Child:—

- 31—I. JOHN⁵, under age, 1757, and probably d. before 1765.

SALEM QUARTERLY COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

Continued from page 127.

Court, 31 : 1 : 1640.

Present: Col. Endecott, Jn^o Humphreys, esq., Mr. Ema^l Downinge, Mr. Will: Hathorne and Mr. Edward Holliock.

Arthur Sandin appointed to keep an ordinary at Marblehead until ye general court.

Thomas Gray of Marblehead convicted of drunkenness on testimony of Mr. W^m Walton and Phillip Choppin. Recognized to answer in court at Boston.

Tho: Mercer and Joseph Garlike to answer at next court for misdemeanors.

Constables of Salem and Marblehead ordered to arrest and commit to gaol in Boston Wⁿ Maid and Tho: Ashley to answer at next court in Salem to Jn^o Bible in debt and for absence from court.

Mr. Clarke refers himself to next court about fine of his servant Jn^o Cooke.

Mr. Humphreys, Mr. Thompson and Marblehead men also to produce witnesses about trespass in corn by cattle of Marblehead.

"frances Nurse a youth fo^r stealing of victualls & for fufpition of breaking a house."*

Wⁿ Smith, James Smith, sr., and his son James Smith, jr., to answer, etc., next day. James, sr., recognized for appearance of James, jr., at next court for contempt of court, departing without leave; and James sr., and his wife Mary recognize for his appearance at next court for theft. Georg Harys testified that young James Smith "ftole powder w^{ch} was found in his pockett." "Collonel Endecot Doth revoke any good testimony that he hath given of him for he now finds him not worthy any good report." Thomas Skilling accused James Smith sr., of saying that this court was partial, and he must go to Boston court to get justice. James Smith, jr., "Confessed y^t he had taken a little p^o of baco in the^r old houle when Goodman White lived there," etc. Some things were given him by his mother, and others by Sam: Eaborne, Jn^o Bickett deposed against him. Young James Smith confessed "he fpent a pint of wine att wind mill." Sam Eaborne produced a witness named Thomas Bays. Both fined for theft.

Abram Whitheire et uxor and Jn^o Legg et uxor discharged.

The worship^l Jn^o Humphreys Esquir v. Tobias Hill et ux.

John Stone v. Jn^o Luff. Mr. Jervas Garford and Jeffery Massy to end it.

Tobias Hill recognized for his wife's appearance. Benjamin Parmiter and

Ric^r Vzald testified that it was an ordinary thing for Tobias Hill to profane the name of God. Jn^o Bratney was another witness. "Jn^o Woodburys man faid^r that Edward B^r M^r Connants man & Wⁿ Wellman a boy did hear Tobias Hill fay y^t he had ynough of his wyf now, y^t he could spare his wyf to any in the Towne now for 3 or 4 days. And m^r waltham & m^r Maverik report y^t one philip Beare doth ufually frequent the houle of this Tobias Hill, & lives diffolutely." Phillip Beare, being "vehementlie fufpected fo^r vncleanes & inordinat Liveing by making difention & difcord in the houle of y^e f^a Tob: Hill," is ordered to keep away from Hill's house and wife.

Charls Turner to answer next court.

Jury: Lieft Davenport, foreman, John Woodbury, Will: Lord, Tho: Venner, Edm: Batter, Jeffery Maffy, Edw: Tomlins, Wⁿ Knighte, Nicholas Potter, Edward Burcham, Wⁿ Longley and Jenkin Davis.

Civil cases:—

Samⁿ Eaborne v. Ja: Smith, jr. Burglary.

Sam Eaborne v. Mary Smith, sr. Defamation.

Sam Eaborne v. James Smith, sr. Slander.

Samuell Smith v. James Smith, sr. Theft.

Sm^l Smith v. Mary Smith. Suspicion of felony.

John Bible v. Wⁿ Maide and Thomas Ashley. Nathaneell Pitman testified that defendants had warrants for their appearance under Mr. Winthrop's hand.

Henry Addis v. Joseph Roots.

Court, June 30, 1640.

Present: Colonel Endecott, Mr. Jn^o Humphreys, Mr. Em: Downing, Mr. Wm. Hathorne and Mr. Tho: Willis.

Richard Gell, an apprentice boy unto Mr. Jn^o Yonge, sentenced, for burglary on Lord's day and stealing, to be "severli whipped" tomorrow being Lecture day And to sett an hower before the Lecture wth a pap writt and fett vpon his head for breking a houf stealing, etc on the Lords day."

*This is crossed out slightly.

Mr. Pester became surety for Charls Turner's fine.

Will of Bethia Cartwright, deceased, proved. No executor being named, John Jackson is appointed administrator. Georg Norton had expended about £5 under the deacons' hands in her life time. Norton's man attended her.

[The will of Bethiah Cartwright is printed in full in the *Antiquarian*, volume I, page 30. The following are the signa-

Elizabeth Nickson

tures of Elizabeth Nickson and Thomas War-

Thomas Warren

ren, the witnesses to the will.—*Files*.]

On behalf of Thomas Tuck attached 25s. of William Hilton's in Mr. Pester's hands.

Tobias Hill cleared out, being in debt, and Mr. Moses Maverick and Mr. Wn. Pester, two creditors, were appointed receivers. Tho: Venner is to have an attachment of Hill's goods in Mr. Pester's and Mr. Maverick's hands.

Mr. Stilman propounded a case of some meadow.

Mr. Willia Brown's goats came near Mr. Batter's farm, and Mr. Verrin's maid set a little dog on them. Mr. Batter's great dog fell upon the goats, and killed one. Mr. Batter was ordered to pay for the goat.

William James was fined 40s. for "proud peremptory carriage against the court." He had some money in Mr. Ruck's hands, 1642.

James Smith, jr., to be severely whipped for filching and stealing and disobedience and stubbornness to his parents.

James Smith, sr., fined £10 for charging the court with partiality.

Joseph Garlick fined 40s. for drunkenness, and, being indebted to Mr. Moses Maverick and Mr. Holgrave, he is ordered to serve them.

"John Webster the Bake admonished for brewing and tippling."

George Dill commanded to pay his fine of 40s. in weekly payments of 6s. to "mee R: flogg."

Mr. William Pester and Georg Wathan dispute about one acre of ground and a garden,—two indifferent men to be appointed to say what Pester shall give Wathan, and if Pester "can prove ag^t Thomas Chubb he may recover of him."

Mr. Jn^o Holgrave acquitted of his presentment for drawing wine.

William Lord, constable, ordered to keep weights and measures.

Jury: Lt. Davenport, foreman, Henry Bartholomew, Jacob Barney, John Gidney, Edmund Batter, Peter Palfrey, Georg Norton, Richard Brakenbury, Georg Taylor, Robt Driver, Christopher ffoster and Thomas Layton.

Civil cases:—

John Holgrave v. Jn^o Pride. Cutting down trees on highway.

Robt Codnam v. Rich^r Cook of Marblehead.

Daniell Salmon v. "y^e wo^rp^l Jn^o Humphrey Efq^r."

John Luff v. Jn^o Bullfinch.

Augustin Calom, goat keep v. Mr. Connant et ali.

Georg Wright v. Edward Barton.

William Lord, ffrancs ffelmingham and Jn^o Pickeringe, attorneys for Thomas Burwood and Xptor Berry v. Thomas Oliver. About entry of house, land and fruit.

William Towne v. Jn^o Cook (also, Cock). About five acres of land.

Henry Aldis v. ffrancs Perry.

To be continued.

NOTES.

Hannah Allen,* married William Webb of Salem Dec. 12, 1790.

Sarah Allen married James Perrot, both of Salem, April 30, 1749.

*She belonged to a Marblehead family, and was brought up in the family of Colonel Pickman. She was a worthy woman, and died Nov. 16, 1813, aged forty-eight. Her husband survived her.

Benjamin Allen married Anne Gale, both of Salem, Sept. 7, 1749.

Abigail Allen married Joseph Gilford of Salem Oct. 17, 1753.

Joseph Allen married Sara Moses Feb. 1, 1767.

Sara Allen married Stephen Webb Oct. 3, 1779.

Edward Allen married Elizabeth Pierce Oct. 10, 1779.

Mary Allen married Richard Maber 21 : 9 : 1670.

Mary Allen married Jonas Clay 22 : 8 : 1678.

Sarah, daughter of Widow Allen, died 16 : 11 : 1664.

Rachel Allen married Jabez Baker June 15, 1703.

—*Salem town records.*

“*SALEM, November 29.*

“On Monday Evening, last Week, FRANCIS BERNARD, Esq ; Son to his Excellency the Governor, gave an elegant Ball at the Affembly Room, to a very considerable Number of the Ladies and Gentlemen of this Town ; at which the former made, as ufual, a brilliant Appearance.

“Yesterday fe’nnight a Sloop was found caft away off Manchefter, about 4 Miles from this Harbour. By the Articles drove afhore, and by the Pieces of the Wreck, it appears to be a Sloop from Pemaquid, bound to Bofton,-----Nichols, Mafter, loaded chiefly with Wood : She was in at Portfmouth laft Saturday fe’n-night, in Company with Capt. Grafton of this Place, and failed from thence the next Morning : We are informed by Capt. Grafton, that there were four Paf-fengers, two Men, and two Women, on board, belonging to the Eaftward, befides the Mafter and two Men belonging to the Veffel, all of whom loft their Lives. Two Firkins of Butter, feveral Chefts, Trunks, &c. with fome Women’s wearing Apparel, have been drove afhore from the Wreck, and taken up ; but we don’t hear that any of the Bodies of thefe unfortunate People have yet been difcovered.”

“Laft Tuefday JOHN FISHER, Esq ; late Collector of his Majefty’s Customs for this Port, failed with Capt. Holland, from Portfmouth, for England.”

—*Essex Gazette, Nov. 22-29, 1768.*

Polly Allen married Wilson Henry Comerford May 2, 1782.

Patrick Allen married Dill Perkins, free negroes, Dec. 4, 1792.

Rachel Allen published to Capt. Michael Parsons Aug. 28, 1796.

Rebecca Allen published to Nathaniel Row July 28, 1798.

—*Gloucester town records.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

231. Wanted, ancestry of Ephraim Brown of Ipswich, who married Elizabeth Boardman. M. G. B.

Lynn.

232. Wanted, ancestry, with authority, of Ruth Symonds, of Boxford (?), who married Andrew³ Eliot (Andrew², Andrew¹) of Beverly and Boston. Their son was Rev. Andrew⁴ Eliot of the New North Church, Boston. Their stones are in the Granary burying-ground. She died Sept. 26, 1760. Could she have been the daughter of Samuel Symonds and Elizabeth² Andrews mentioned in the August *Antiquarian*? If so, who were Samuel’s ancestors? E. E.

Nonquitt.

233. Thomas Newhall of Malden married about 1700, Mary——. Can any one give me her parentage?

Croton on Hudson, N. Y. C. T. R. M.

234. Joseph Buxton (son of Anthony) of Salem married, about 1683, Esther——. Wanted her parentage. Was she of Rhode Island? C. T. R. M.

235. Who was Benoni Cilley (or Silley) of Salisbury, about 1700? C. M. A.

Grand Rapids, Mich.

236. Who has and will sell a copy of volume 1, number 1, of *The Antiquarian*? C. M. A.

237. John Bryan of Boston, mariner, born about 1718, married Lois, daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Lincoln) Brown of Boston Aug. 13, 1741. John Bryan called Dea. Jonathan Brown, "uncle." Who was this John Bryan? Where did he come from? Who were his parents? Did he belong to the Brian or Bryant family?

H. B.

Boston.

238. Where did Timothy Dustin, youngest son of Hannah Dustin, settle?

Dryden, N. Y.

E. A. M.

ANSWERS.

140. Hannah Haseltine, wife of Benjamin Cushing, was daughter of Nathaniel and Abigail (Tenney) Haseltine, and was born in Haverhill Dec. 12, 1732. Her father was son of Nathaniel and Deliverance (Robie) Haseltine, and was born in Haverhill April 15, 1683; and his grandfather was John Haseltine (freeman, 1640) of Bradford and Haverhill, who died Dec. 23, 1690. John Haseltine's wife Joan Anter, died July 17, 1698. Nathaniel Haseltine sr., was born 20: 7: 1656; and married, Dec. 28, 1680, to Deliverance Robie, who died Dec. 20, 1686. Nathaniel Haseltine, sr., died Jan. 14, 1723-4. Hannah (Haseltine) Cushing's mother was a daughter of Elder Samuel and Abigail (Bailey) Tenney, who lived in Bradford (in that part now Groveland), where their daughter Abigail was born Nov. 22, 1689.—*Ed.*

226. The descent of Priscilla⁶ Bartlett, on the Bartlett side, is as follows: Richard¹, Richard², Richard³, Samuel⁴, and Joshua⁵. Samuel⁴, son of Richard, married Abigail Wells,—not Samuel⁴, son of Samuel³, as D. W. Hoyt gives it in his "Early Settlers of Salisbury and Amesbury;" see wills of Samuel, sr., and jr., which prove this. Joshua⁵ married Priscilla ———. He was a joiner of Amesbury in 1757, and of Kingston, N. H., in 1771 and 1791. The Moulton family

genealogy is incorrect in saying William² Moulton's daughter Abigail married Samuel Bartlett. His will, Essex probate, volume 319, page 495, says plainly she is wife of Daniel Bartlett.—*Benjamin P. Holbrook, Boston.*

EDITORIAL.

The nuncupative will of George Abbott of Rowley, proved in the Salem quarterly court 28:10:1647 (having been sent to the general court), has not been found. The court ordered that after paying the legacies to the children the remainder should remain in the hands of Mark Simons of Ipswich, according to the will, to be disposed of to the children.

The will of Mrs. Isabel Redberne of Ipswich, proved in the Salem court 27: 4: 1650, has not been found. So, of a similar writing of Miles Ward proved in Salem court 17: 7: 1650.

The wills of Frances Lambert of Rowley, proved in Ipswich court 28: 1: 1648, of John Jarrett of Rowley, proved in Ipswich court 26: 7: 1648, of Robert Johnson of Rowley, proved in Ipswich court 26: 1: 1650, and of Mr. William Bellingham of Rowley, proved in Ipswich court 24: 7: 1650, have not been found.

The editor wishes copies of the above instruments for publication.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

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THE OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY. Part V. By *David W. Hoyt*. Providence, R. I., 1899. This is the concluding part of Mr. Hoyt's invaluable work on the families on the northern bank of the Merrimac river. This part contains 91 pages, including the indices of places and persons, and the five parts make a volume of 411 pages. In this portion is included the family names from Somes to Younglove.



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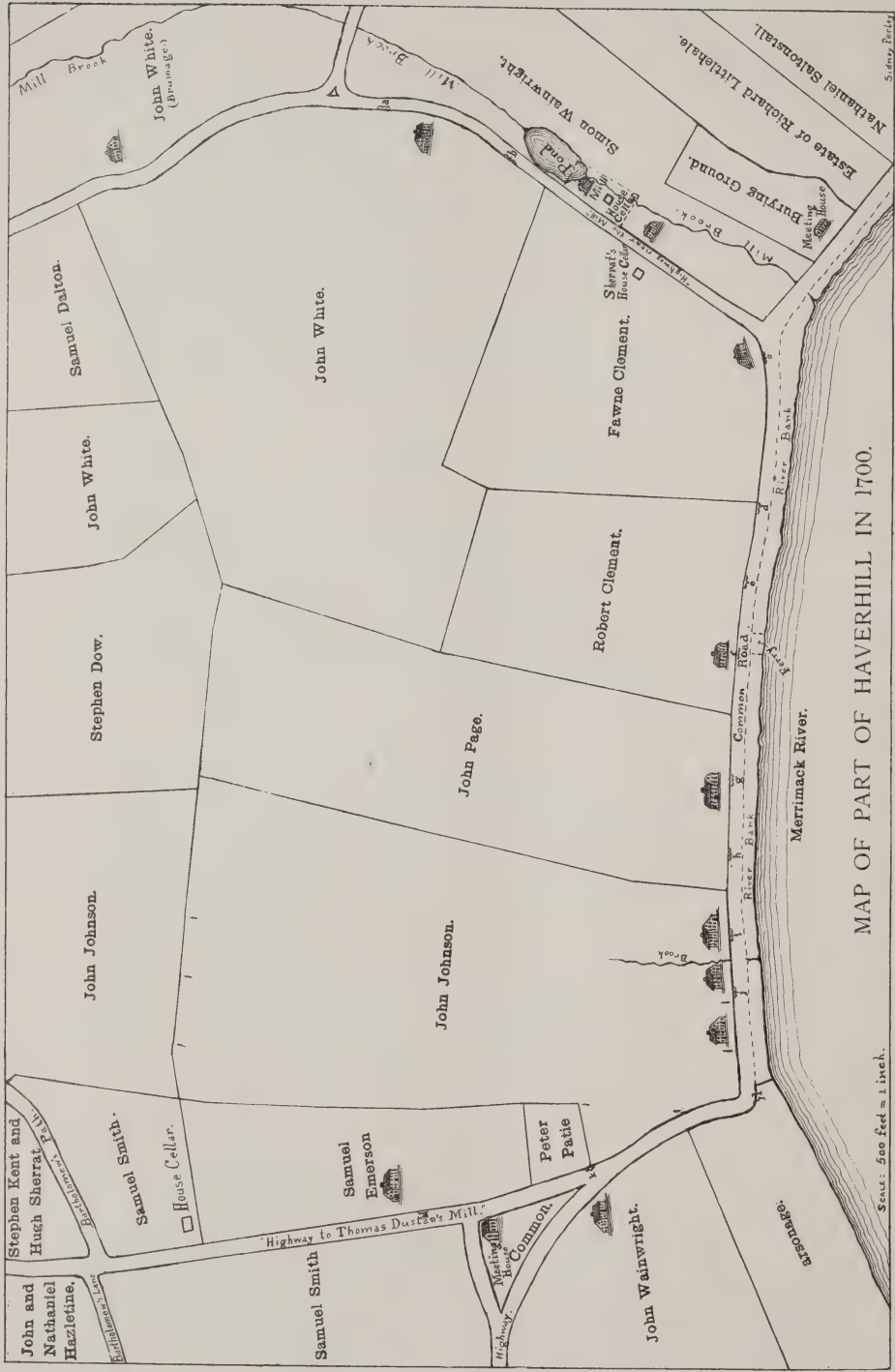
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MAP OF PART OF HAVERHILL IN 1700.

Scale: 500 feet = 1 inch.

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NO. II.

PART OF HAVERHILL IN 1700.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

THE frontispiece is a map of the village of Haverhill in 1700. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of five hundred feet to an inch. It shows all the boundary lines and the location of all the houses that were standing in 1700. The brace marked "a" shows where Mt. Vernon street runs; the braces marked "b" show where Summer street runs; the brace marked "c," Came avenue; "d," Chestnut street; "e," School street; "f," Lindel street; "g," Kent street; "h," Moore street; "i," Green street; "j," Stage street; "k," Vestry street; and "l," Merrimack street. Summer street was laid out by the town in 1819; and was so called the next year; School street is first mentioned in 1840; Lindel street in 1854; Kent street was first called Kent's lane in 1813, and Kent street in 1824; Moore street was a private way laid out by the Hutchinses in or before 1751, and first called Moore street in 1851; Green street is first mentioned in 1832; and Stage street was called a lane in 1813, and was first called Stage street in 1825.*

Mill street was first called Highway near the mill in 1693; Way leading towards late Captain White's mill, 1730; Highway that leads over Sherid's hill, 1733; White's lane, 1742; Road that leads to Samuel White's mill, 1748; Way reserved by proprietors of Haverhill, 1759; Road by White's mills, 1819; and Road to William White's, 1822.

*Summit avenue was first called Union street in 1857, and Summit avenue in 1872. Park street was first called Liberty street in 1859, and Park street in 1864.

Water street was first called Highway next Merrimack (or ye) river, 1665; Country highway to ye ferry over Merrimack river, 1713; Road from Judge Saltonstall's to ye meeting-house, 1748; Main road, 1775; and Water street, 1809.

Main street was first called Ye saw mill way in 1690; Highway to Thomas Dustan's mill, 1701; Highway that leadeth from Haverhill meeting-house to Thomas Duston's, 1706; Highway to the meeting-house, 1717; and Main street, 1732.

Winter street was first called Highway leading toward ye meeting-house in 1719; Highway leading to West bridge, 1726; Highway from old meeting-house to ye West bridge, 1732; Road from meeting-house to Hale's mill, 1815; and Winter street, 1845.

Arlington street was first called Way from Smith's corner to Stephen Dow's house in 1689; Bartholomew's path, 1700; Way from Samuel Dow's to the meeting-house, 1732; Dow, or Dow's lane, 1795; Dow street, 1852; and Arlington street, 1874.

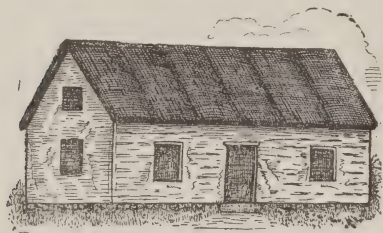
White street was first called Bartle's way in 1690; Bartholomew's lane, 1700; and Bartholomew Heath's highway that leads to the West bridge, 1701.

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to houses and the land under and immediately adjacent thereto, and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after 1700, to give the history of the houses principally.

Estate of Richard Littlehale Lot. Richard Littlehale, the first "clerk of the writs to make records" in Haverhill,

owned and lived in the house that early stood on this lot. He died Feb. 18, 1663-4, and the estate passed to his son Richard. The house was probably gone before Mr. Littlehale's decease in 1692. The lot belonged to his estate in 1702, and in 1730 to Ebenezer Eastman.

Burying Ground, etc. At the lower end of this lot religious services were held originally, according to tradition, under a large tree in pleasant weather, and the rear part of the lot was used as a burying ground. In 1648, the town voted to build a meeting-house "on the lower knoll at the lower end of the mill lot." It was erected midway of the burial lot the same year, and was 26 x 20 feet, facing the river. In 1660, the town ordered



that the land "behind the meeting-house should be reserved for a burial ground." The first school house, built in 1670, stood near the meeting-house; and in the eastern corner of the lot was the pound built in 1664, and removed in 1676. The meeting-house was abandoned as a place of worship in 1700, and the building was gone two years later.

Simon Wainwright House and Lot and Mill. The southeastern corner of this lot lying between Mill brook and the burying ground was early laid out to William Simons. Feb. 25, 1660, the town "voted & granted y^t william Simons should have liberty to improve y^t spot of ground w^{ch} was formerly laid out to him on ye east side of ye mill brooke, not taking in any of the graves, he is to inioy it, During his life & his wives, & after to returne to ye towne." This was bought of the town by Daniel Ela before 1687.

A lot of forty rods off the southwestern portion of the lot, between the highway and the brook was granted by the town to Job Clements. Mr. Clements was a tanner, and had his tannery by the brook. He sold the lot and buildings to Daniel Ela, who was a tanner, Feb. 21, 1658.* Mr. Ela continued the business.

The northern portion of the lot was early owned by Michael Emerson, who conveyed it to Mr. Ela before 1678.

The middle section of the lot was the mill lot granted to Robert Clement, a cooper. He erected the corn mill and house thereon, and conveyed the house and lot, but not the mill and land adjoining, to Mr. Ela Feb. 14, 1669.†

Thus, Mr. Ela became the owner of the entire lot. For a short time he conducted an ordinary here. He conveyed to Simon Wainwright of Haverhill, merchant, the entire lot with the buildings, except the mill, Aug. 10, 1687.§

Captain Wainwright conveyed the house and lot to Richard Saltonstall of Haverhill, gentleman ("who is to marry my daughter Mehitable"), Nov. 21, 1702.¶

Mr. Saltonstall conveyed the house and lot to his brother Nathaniel Saltonstall of Boston, gentleman, Jan. 20, 1730.‡

Mr. Nathaniel Saltonstall, jr., of Boston, conveyed the house and lot to James Pearson of Lynn, gentleman, May 10, 1732.¶

Captain Pearson lived in Haverhill, and died in 1744, and his children conveyed the house and lot to John Pearson of Andover, currier, March 7, 1744-5.**

Mr. Pearson, still of Andover, conveyed the house to Jonathan Buck of Haverhill, laborer, April 5, 1748.†† There was a house on the site of the old one in 1846, but whether or not it was the old one is not known to the writer.

*Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 80.

†Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 204.

§Ipswich Registry of Deeds, book 5, page 360.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 3.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 54, leaf 236.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 59, leaf 165.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 92, leaf 145.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 99.

The grist mill and land adjoining passed into the hands of Andrew Greely of Haverhill, miller, before 1690; and near the mill was a house in which Mr. Greely lived in 1691, and which had been occupied by his son Benjamin until the latter's decease, probably having been erected by the father. Mr. Greely, the father, conveyed the mill, house and land to Simon Wainwright Feb. 2, 1690-1.*

Captain Wainwright conveyed the mill and land (the house having been burned down) to Lt. John White of Haverhill March 16, 1704-5.†

Mr. White conveyed the mill and land to Samuel White July 19, 1727;§ and the mill remained in the White family for a century longer.

John White (Brumage) House. This lot was probably granted to Stephen Kent, who undoubtedly erected the house upon it and sold the house and lot to Abraham Tyler. Here Mr. Tyler lived until his decease May 6, 1673. In his will, he devised the house and lot to his wife Hannah,|| who survived him, and married, secondly, Edward Brumage (or Brumidge, or Bromage) of Haverhill, husbandman. She, with Mr. Brumage, conveyed the house and lot to Ens. John White, esq., of Haverhill Sept. 28, 1695.‡ Mr. White gave the house (then occupied by David Whiting) to his son Samuel White of Haverhill, husbandman, July 19, 1727.¶ The house was probably gone soon after.

John Johnson Lot. Bartholomew Heath was the owner of this lot of eleven acres in 1661. He conveyed it to John Johnson of Haverhill Oct. 7, 1665;*, and Mr. Johnson was possessed of it when he was massacred in 1708.

Stephen Dow Lot. Bartholomew Heath owned this lot in 1665; and before 1670 it came into the possession of John

Todd of Rowley. Mr. Todd conveyed it to Stephen Dow of Haverhill March 7, 1670.* Mr. Dow died possessed of the lot July 3, 1717.

John White Lot. This lot was owned by Lt. John White in 1702, and probably before 1700. In 1727, it was owned by John Dow who, March 15, 1736, conveyed it to Joseph Badger of Haverhill, trader.†

Samuel Dalton Lot. This lot belonged to Samuel Dalton May 1, 1702, when he conveyed it to Lt. John White.§

John White House. The larger part of this lot was owned by John White in 1670, and by William White in 1695. Lt. John White owned it in 1700 and 1709. The section of the lot on which the old house stood was early owned by Samuel Dalton, and sold by him, with the house, to John White, esq. Mr. White conveyed the estate to his son John Oct. 4, 1727.|| From him it descended to Samuel White who died in or before 1801 possessed of the old house, which, in the division of his estate was assigned to his son Samuel. The old house was gone soon after.

Fawne Clement House. Four acres of the northeastern portion of this lot, with a house and barn thereon, belonged to Hugh Sherrat, who lived and kept tavern in this house. April 27, 1665, he conveyed the house and lot to Elizabeth Sherrat of Haverhill.‡ Mr. Sherrat conveyed the same house and lot to Robert Clement of Haverhill Oct. 9, 1670.¶ The Sherrat house was probably gone before 1692.

In or before 1692, Mr. Clement conveyed to his son Jonathan Clement an acre in the northeastern corner of the lot he had bought of Sherrat; and Jonathan, "sometime of Haverhill," cooper, conveyed it to his brothers Abraham and Fawne Clement Aug. 15, 1693.**

*Ipswich Registry of Deeds, book 5, page 391.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 3.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 57, leaf 68.

||Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 321.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 23, leaf 56.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 57, leaf 68.

**Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 11.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 73, leaf 106.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 73, leaf 140.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 20, leaf 2.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 53, leaf 109.

‡Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 52.

¶Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 15.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 46.

The remainder of this lot, with the Robert Clement lot and other land, was in the possession of Joseph Jewett of Newbury in 1659, and he died owning this the next year. His son-in-law John Carleton lived in the house that stood on the lot until Nov. 14, 1665, when the executors of Mr. Jewett conveyed the estate to George Heathcock (or Heathcoke) of Barbadoes, merchant.*

In 1692, Robert Clement, sr., of Haverhill, cooper, was the owner of this house, barn and lot; and March 24, of the same year, he conveyed the estate to his sons Abraham and Fawne Clement of Salisbury.†

Abraham Clement does not appear as owner of this and the adjoining lots after the next year, and he probably released the estate to his brother Fawne soon after.

The remainder of the premises, twelve acres and the house, was conveyed by Fawne Clement, who lived in Newbury, being a ship-carpenter, to Job Clement of Haverhill, cooper, April 12, 1701.§ Job Clement conveyed the house and lot and the shop I built to James Ford of Haverhill May 25, 1703.|| James Ford conveyed the same estate, for £207, to Samuel Swaine of Haverhill April 1, 1706;‡ and Mr. Swaine conveyed the house and land to Joshua Purington Sept. 5, 1706.¶ Joshua Purington of Hampton, N. H., conveyed the house and lot to Elisha Davis of Haverhill Oct. 31, 1709;** and the house was probably gone before 1732, when the land continued to belong to Mr. Davis.

Robert Clement House. This lot and parts of the lots of John Page and Fawne Clement were the property of Joseph Jewett of Newbury in 1659; and this lot was owned by him at the time of his death the next year. His executors conveyed

this section to George Heathcock of Barbadoes Nov. 14, 1665.* The lot came into the ownership of Robert Clement of Haverhill, cooper, before April 8, 1678, when, for good will, he conveyed to Mr. Thomas Wasse, "my country man," "late school master in Haverhill," the southeastern corner of the lot.† A short time afterward Mr. Clement gave the same corner to his son Nathaniel Clement, who built a house upon it. Nathaniel died in Saco in 1689, unmarried, having, in his will, devised the house and lot to his brother Robert. Nov. 21, 1690, their father conveyed to Robert sufficient land in the rear of the house to make his lot measure one acre.§



ROBERT CLEMENT HOUSE.

Robert Clement, the father, conveyed the remainder of the lot to his sons Abraham and Fawne Clement of Salisbury March 24, 1692.|| Abraham does not appear as owner of the lot after 1693, and he probably released his interest in it to his brother soon afterward.

Robert Clement, jr., was a cooper, and lived in the house his brother Nathaniel had built until Feb. 24, 1713-14, when he sold the house, shop and lot to his brother Fawne Clement.‡

The house and lot were in the possession of John Hutchins Oct. 15, 1725, when he conveyed them to his brother Richard

*Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 54.

†Ipswich Registry of Deeds, book 5, page 564.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 291.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 22.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 168.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 95.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 238.

*Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 54.

†Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 77.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 49.

||Ipswich Registry of Deeds, book 5, page 564.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 30, leaf 61.

Hutchins,* who, March 6, 1730, sold the same to John Cogswell.†

Mr. Cogswell added to the house on the eastern end before Oct. 3, 1755, when he conveyed the old end of the house and land adjoining to his son, John Cogswell, jr., of Haverhill, trader.§ John Cogswell, jr., died in the winter of 1801-2, having devised his half of the house and lot to his sons James B. and Robert; and the first released his interest in the estate Aug. 3, 1830.¶ Robert Cogswell conveyed his part of the house and lot to Samuel Chase Oct. 1, 1830.‡ Mr. Chase conveyed the land and buildings to Benjamin F. Leighton of Haverhill in 1868;¶ and Mr. Leighton conveyed the same to Jackson B. Swett of Haverhill Dec. 1, 1869,** in whose estate it remains.

John Page House. The western portion of this lot, called, in 1659, five acres, then belonged to Thomas Davis who conveyed it, with the house and barn thereon, to John Williams, jr., of Haverhill April 8, 1659.†† Mr. Williams conveyed the five acres, with the house and hovel thereon, to Stephen Webster of Haverhill March 2, 1665.§§ Mr. Webster was a tailor, and he conveyed to John Light of the Isles of Shoals, Dover county, and Portsmouth, woolen draper, the house, barn and thirteen acres of land Oct. 20, 1673.¶¶ Mr. Webster owned in 1665 the eastern part of this lot which he had probably bought of Joseph Jewett's estate. Mr. Light died in or before 1690, and his widow and executrix, Dorothy Light of Portsmouth, by order of court, conveyed the house and land he purchased of Mr. Webster to John Page of Haverhill Sept. 18, 1695.‡‡ Her son John Light of Ex-

eter confirmed this sale by deed June 18, 1707.* Mr. Page died June 7, 1714, leaving one child, Sarah, wife of John Hutchins. She died before 1739, and this lot, found on measurement to contain sixteen acres, was divided among her eight children in the latter year. The lots ran from the street back being very long and narrow, and the lot containing the house was assigned to James McHard in right of the son James Hutchins.† Nathaniel Cogswell owned it from 1741 to 1748. How much longer the old house stood the writer does not know; but it was probably gone soon after.

John Johnson Houses. The small triangular lot on the south side of the Peter Patie lot and west of the two dashes was a part of the "six-acre" lot owned before 1659 by Matthias Button, who in or before that year sold it to Robert Swan of Haverhill. Mr. Swan conveyed it to John Johnson April 21, 1659;§ and Mr. Johnson died possessed of it in 1708. The remainder of the homestead of John Johnson was purchased in four lots, running from the highway by the river back, and their dividing lines being shown on the map by dashes and the brook.

The western lot of "three" acres belonged to Theophilus Satchwell before 1659, when he sold it to William Simons of Haverhill. Mr. Simons conveyed it to John Johnson April 21, 1659;§ and Mr. Johnson was possessed of it when he died in 1708.

The next lot of "four" acres, with the house thereon, was the estate of John Robinson, the town blacksmith, who had his shop on the river bank a little below his house. He removed to Exeter, N. H., in 1657, and the next year Haverhill engaged John Johnson of Charlestown, also a blacksmith, to settle here and carry on his trade, which he did. Daniel Ladd, sr., of Haverhill had become possessed of this place; and, of him, Mr. Johnson

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 50, leaf 39.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 211.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 120, leaf 219.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 257, leaf 169.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 257, leaf 107.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 739, leaf 151.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 788, leaf 29.

††Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 153.

§§Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 134.

¶¶Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 306.

‡‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 229.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 22, leaf 259.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 89, leaf 58.

§Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 134.

bought it July 17, 1669.* Here Lt. Johnson lived until Aug. 29, 1708, when he and his wife were massacred and the house burned.

The next lot, containing "three and one-half" acres, with the house thereon, belonged, before 1661, to Thomas Perrie, who sold the estate to Robert Clement of Haverhill. cooper. Mr. Clement conveyed it to John Johnson March 12, 1661-2; † and in the deed John Carleton joins to warrant the title against Jeremie Jewett and Philip Nelson. The estate remained in the possession of Lt. Johnson until his massacre in 1708, when it was probably burned.

The next lot of "eight" acres, with the house thereon, belonged to John Williams in 1659. In his will, § dated Dec. 9, 1670, he devised to his son Joseph "my now dwelling house and lot," and, in 1673, he deeded the estate to the same son. || John Williams died Feb. 10, 1673. His widow, Jane Williams, and Joseph and Mary Williams, all of Haverhill, conveyed the house and lot to John Page, jr., of Haverhill July 3, 1678. ‡ They subsequently came into the possession of Lt. Johnson, who owned them at the time of his death in 1708, when the house was probably burned by the Indians.

Samuel Emerson House and Peter Patie Lot. These two lots and the triangular lot on the south side mentioned above was a part of the "six-acre" lot owned before 1659 by Matthias Button, who in or before that year sold it to Robert Swan of Haverhill; and Mr. Swan conveyed it to John Johnson April 21, 1659. ¶

Joseph Johnson owned this house and lots of Emerson and Patie, containing "seven" acres before Sept. 24, 1678, when he sold the premises to Thomas Hartshorn, who conveyed the estate to Samuel Emerson of Haverhill Feb. 9,

1686.* Mr. Emerson sold the southern end of his lot to Peter Patie (being the Patie lot shown on the map) Nov. 5, 1689; † and subsequently removed to Oyster River, N. H. Mr. Patie conveyed his lot to Jonathan Hartshorn. The deed was "providentially by ye firing of ye enemy lost;" and, April 20, 1711, when Mr. Hartshorn, who then lived in Norwich, conveyed the lot to Mrs. Mary Wainwright, Mr. Patie (there spelled *Patre*) joined in the deed because the deed he had given to Mr. Hartshorn was destroyed, being unrecorded. §

For fifty pounds in silver, Mr. Emerson conveyed his house, barn and land to Rev. Benjamin Rolfe, the minister of the town, Oct. 18, 1700. || Here, Mr. Rolfe lived until Aug. 29, 1708, when he and his wife and youngest child, Mehitable, were massacred by the Indians. Mr. Rolfe's administrator conveyed the house, barn and lot to the town Dec. 21, 1709. ‡ Thenceforward the house was the parsonage, and the home of the minister of the town and First parish. In 1711, the house was voted to be "fortified," and in 1731 the parish gave to Rev. John Brown, who then occupied the house, "ye timber of the forte yt is about his house, to dispose of it as he pleaseth." This construction had been made as a defence against the Indians. After Rev. Mr. Rolfe's death the house was occupied by Rev. Joshua Gardner from 1711 to 1715, when he died at the age of twenty-eight; by Rev. John Brown from 1719 to 1742, and by Rev. Edward Barnard from 1743 until it was taken down in 1773. A new parsonage house was then built on nearly the same site as the old, some of the material of the old being used in the new house. It is said that some boards on the attic floor still contain blood stains of 1708. In 1831, the house and lot were conveyed by the

*Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 249.

†Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 135.

§Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 323.

||Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 301.

‡Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 379.

¶Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 134.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 301.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 79.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 23, leaf 235.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 300.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 122.

parish to Dr. Moses Nichols, in whose family they have since remained.

Samuel Smith Cellar Lot. John Johnson owned this lot in 1665. Nathaniel Smith, a wheelwright, was, in 1686, owning and living upon it, in the house which he had built about twenty years before, being then on common land. He conveyed the house and lot, containing three acres, to Simon Wainwright, the merchant, Aug. 23, 1690.* The house was subsequently destroyed by fire, and Mr. Wainwright conveyed the lot to Samuel Smith (son of Nathaniel), who had hired the place for some time, March 27, 1700.† Mr. Smith, then twenty-nine years old, built a house and subsequently lived here.

Kent and Sherrat Lot. This lot was originally laid out to the rights of Stephen Kent and Hugh Sherrat. Six acres of it eventually came into the hands of Daniel Little, a yeoman, who, with his wife Abiah, conveyed it to James Mackhard of Haverhill, a trader, July 18, 1732.§

John and Nathaniel Hazletine Lot. This corner was early the estate of John Wolcott, and from him the title passed to Lt. John and Serg. Nathaniel Hazletine, both of Haverhill. They conveyed it to Rev. Benjamin Rolfe Jan. 13, 1700-1.|| After Mr. Rolfe's massacre, Aug. 29, 1708, his administrator conveyed it to the town Dec. 21, 1709.‡ It remained the property of the town and First parish, being known as the Parsonage pasture, until the parish sold it to Daniel Appleton Aug. 18, 1827.¶

Samuel Smith Lot. The northern portion of this lot was probably granted to Nathaniel Smith, the wheelwright of Haverhill. He was its owner in 1673, and, Aug. 23, 1690, conveyed it to Simon Wainwright of Haverhill, the merchant.* Mr. Smith died Nov. 1, 1692, and Mr.

Wainwright conveyed it to Samuel Smith, son of the deceased, March 27, 1700.* Samuel erected his barn upon this portion of the lot, which he owned several years.

The southern portion of the lot was probably granted to John Williams, sr., of Haverhill, and he conveyed it to Nathaniel Smith March 24, 1673.† Mr. Smith conveyed it to Lt. Johnson and Robert Swan, sr., before 1690. It soon after came into the hands of Samuel Smith, who sold it to John Kezar, a cordwainer, of Haverhill, Nov. 5, 1700.§

Common. The common was always public land, belonging to the town and First parish respectively. The second meeting-house in the town (which was at first steepleless) was erected here by vote of the town in 1698 (see cut). Here also stood the third meeting-house. The next one was erected on the corner lot north of

the common, and the parish, having no further need of the common as a site for its meeting-house, conveyed it to the town for a common June 6, 1837.|| In the early days the militia trained here, and it was



called the training field as late as 1792.

John Wainwright House. The town conveyed to William Sterling, a ship-car-

*Ipswich Registry of Deeds, book 5, page 391.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 26, leaf 54.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 61, leaf 245.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 11.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 122.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 273, leaf 292.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 26, leaf 54.

†Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 303.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 5.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 299, leaf 121.

penter, this lot of about twelve acres before 1683. He sold to Francis Wainwright eleven acres of it (that part above the house) April 24, 1683,* and it soon after came into the hands of Capt. John Wainwright. Mr. Sterling conveyed the rest of the lot and the house to Captain Wainwright, and removed to Lyme, Conn.

Cornet James Pecker of Haverhill was an innholder, and had kept a public house in town for several years. He bought this estate of Captain Wainwright May 16, 1717.† Mr. Pecker apparently erected a brick dwelling house just south of the old house soon after his purchase, and removed to it. Some years later he turned over to his son John the business of a public house, and resumed his original occupation of farming. He conveyed this estate, with the houses and barns, to John Feb. 14, 1729-30.§

John Pecker conveyed the old house and a small lot to Grant Webster of Haverhill, a trader, March 26, 1748,|| and just four years later to a day Mr. Webster sold them to Benjamin Harrod of Boston, brazier.‡ Mr. Harrod died about 1781, and his son Joseph came into possession of the property, and for many years conducted therein the inn known in its time as the "Mason's Arms," its sign board consisting of a painting representing the Freemason's arms. Here Washington stayed on his visit east in 1789. Mr. Harrod died, and his heirs conveyed the premises to Phineas Foster, a merchant, of Boston, Jan. 13, 1830.¶ Mr. Foster died soon after, and, Dec. 31, 1836, his heirs sold them to James H. Duncan.** Mr. Duncan conveyed the house and middle of the lot to the town May 8, 1847.†† The house was demolished and the town house built upon the site the same year.

*Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 301.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 32, leaf 58.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 77.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 93, leaf 244.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 97, leaf 196.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 257, leaf 243.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 296, leaves 155 and 156.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 391, leaf 39.

John Pecker lived in the brick house and died possessed of it in 1757. A part of the house was assigned to the widow as dower, and the rest was occupied by Matthew Soley as a tavern in 1763. This house was situated on Main street about a hundred feet southeast of the city hall. Subsequently passing through many vicissitudes,—of conveyances, inheritances, mortgages, and Sheriff's levies,—the title finally came into the hands of John White just before the great fire of Sunday, April 16, 1775, in which the house was destroyed.

Parsonage Lot. The parsonage lot of eight acres, probably purchased by the town, in 1684, of William Sterling, was devoted to the use of the ministry. In 1744, it was divided into lots, of about four rods in width, running from the river northward, and a road, now Merrimack street, laid out through the same two and a half rods wide.

ALLEN NOTES.

Ebenezer Allen of Marblehead, fisherman, 1748. He was appointed administrator of the estate of his son Thomas Allen of Marblehead, fisherman, Oct. 17, 1748.

Thomas Allen of Salem died before July 23, 1757, when a guardian was appointed for his son Thomas, who was born about 1744, being, July 23, 1757, under fourteen, and over fourteen July 14, 1759.

Thomas Allen of Salem, mariner, died before April 20, 1780, when a guardian was appointed for his son Thomas, who was born about 1764.

—*Probate records.*

Martha Allen married John Smith Jan. 17, 1790.

Molly Allen of Gloucester married Solomon Andrews of Ipswich April 5, 1795 (4—*Church records*).

Polly Allen married Abimelech Haskell Sargent Jan. 9 (12—*Church records*), 1792.

—*Gloucester town records.*

THE BRIDE'S HOME-COMING.

"Oh my husband ! I am too young, too young
To dwell where such death-damp lingers."
"Darling, all chambers of life are hung
With tapestry wrought by dead fingers.
"We tread in the path of by gone years,
'Mid ghosts of the dead generations;
Life is sweet with their songs and salt with their
tears,
And rich with their souls' libations.
"But love, sweetest wife, is evermore new;
A child to the Greeks, 'mid immortals,
A child is he still and forever. With you
He enters to-day through these portals.
"He enters today, and he goes out no more
Till we, through the gloom and the glory,
Pass on to the realms of the 'gone before',
And tell them our own sweet story."

ANNABLE FAMILY.

In the Essex county records the name of ANNABLE is also spelt *Anabel, Anabell, Anable, Anibal, Aniball, Anibell, Anible, Annabel, Annabell, Anniball, Annibel, Annible, Annoble, Annyball, Annybell* and *Annyble*.

JOHN ANNABLE¹, probably born about 1625, was a tailor; and resided in Ipswich, where he was living as early as 1647, when he bought house, barn and land there. (We believe that there was a John Annable in Ipswich six years earlier, and he may have been the father of Matthew, Robert, and the above John.) Mr. Annable died in Ipswich Oct. 8, 1664. His wife Anna survived him, was his widow in 1666, and married, secondly, Nicholas Clapp of Dorchester before April 15, 1667, afterward living in Dorchester.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 2—I. JOHN², b. about 1648. *See below* (2).
- 3—II. JOSEPH², b. Oct. 2, 1658.
- 4—III. ELIZABETH², b. April 17, 1661.

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JOHN ANNABLE², born in Ipswich about 1648. He was a tailor; and always lived in Ipswich in the Hamlet parish (now the town of Hamilton), his father's home-stead and buildings having been released to him by his mother and step-father in 1672. He was a man of property, having at the time of his death three black

servants. He died Jan. 25, 1717-8, aged sixty. His wife survived him, and was his widow in 1724.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 5—I. JOHN³, b. Jan. 5, 1678; probably pub. to Margaret Curtis, in Ipswich, 14: 8: 1711; and married Patience Sands (pub. Jan. 16, 1719-20). He lived in Ipswich, in the Hamlet parish; and was a yeoman. Both he and his wife died in January (between the fifth and twelfth), 1748.
- 6—II. JACOB³, b. Aug. 25, 1681. *See below* (6).
- 7—III. MATTHEW³, b. Feb. 25, 1682-3; and was deceased in 1718.
- 8—IV. MARY³, b. Dec. 7, 1684; m. Thomas Baker (pub. Nov. 27, 1703); was his widow, and living in Shrewsbury, in 1762.
- 9—V. JOSEPH³, b. Jan. 31, 1690-1.
- 10—VI. ELIZABETH³, m. James Marshall (pub. Sept. 29, 1722); and was living in Ipswich, his widow, in 1762.
- 11—VII. JUDITH³, b. March 16, 1701; m. Benjamin Stone (pub. Oct. 14, 1721). He was a tailor; and both were living in Ipswich in 1730.
- 12—VIII. ROBERT³, b. June 18, 1703. *See below* (12).
- 13—IX. HANNAH³, living, under age and unmarried, in 1718.
- 14—X. SARAH³, m. Nathaniel Jones Nov. 10, 1726; and was living in Ipswich, his widow, in 1762.

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JACOB ANNABLE³, born in Ipswich Aug. 25, 1681. He was a husbandman; and resided in his native town. He married Jemima Thorn Nov. 28, 1717; and died, in Ipswich, Aug. 3, 1723.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 15—I. JEMIMA⁴, bapt. Jan. 8, 1720-1.
- 16—II. JOHN⁴, bapt. Feb. 25, 1721-2; d. in Ipswich, probably unmarried (as his estate was divided among his uncles, aunts, and cousins), April 18, 1762. In 1761, he was called a gentleman.

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ROBERT ANNABLE³, born in Ipswich June 18, 1703. When young he was a cordwainer, and upon his marriage became a yeoman. He married Bethiah Knowlton of Wenham Nov. 17, 1729. She died in Ipswich Dec. 25, 1772, aged sixty; and he died in the Hamlet parish Nov. 28, 1783, aged eighty.

Children born in Ipswich :—

- 17—I. ———(dau.)⁴, bapt. Aug. 30, 1730.
 18—II. MATTHEW⁴, bapt. Oct. 24, 1731. *See below (18).*
 19—III. MARY⁴, m. Francis Brown Feb. 17, 1761; and was living in 1775.
 20—IV. JEMIMA⁴, m. Ebenezer Baker Feb. 20, 1765; and was living in 1775.
 21—V. MARGARET⁴, m. John Orsment of Manchester Dec. 6, 1770; and was living in 1775.

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MATTHEW ANNABLE⁴, baptized in Ipswich Oct. 24, 1731. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He died between Aug. 9, 1772, and July 16, 1775. He married Sarah Danforth Dec. 24, 1754. His father gave the widow certain rooms in his (the father's) house; and she was living in 1784.

Children, born in Ipswich :—

- 22—I. ROBERT⁵, b. about 1767; living in 1784.
 23—II. SUSANNA⁵, b. in 1770; bapt. July 15, 1770; living in 1784.
 24—III. BETTY⁵, bapt. Aug. 9, 1772; probably d. young.
 25—IV. BENJAMIN⁵, b. in 1775; bapt. July 16, 1775; living in 1784.

WILL OF JOHN SPENCER.

The will of John Spencer of Newbury, dated 1 : 6 mo : 1637, was proved in the Ipswich court March 27, 1649. The following copy is taken from the record contained in the Ipswich Deeds, volume I, leaf 55, the original being missing.

Know all men by these p^resents that If God be pleased to Call me out of this life in this single Condition It is my full purpose & will that John Spenfer shall inherit all my Lands and Goods which God hath giuen unto me in this Country of Newengland, to pay out of the same within three years after my discease to his reuerent instructor in Christ m^r Cotton, ten pounds to euery househould Seruant which is so at the time of my discease five pounds a peece, to the Children of my Cofen Ann Knight of Newbery five pounds a peece, and to her self five pound, And vnto euery Child of my brother Thomas Spenfer Twenty pounds a peece, To Thomas Theacher five

pounds, And to mine honoured friend m^r Vane. m^r Richard Dumer, m^r Nicholas Efton. m^r ffofter of Ipswich and Goodman Motte, of Hingham, doe I comitte the ouerfight & execution of this my will & Testament, and do Comend the said John Spenfer my nephew together with his estate hereby giuen him, to be managed & ordered for his good, & him selfe for his education to be by their Care in the knowledge of the Lord Iesus Christ, and that if mony be not in their hands to defraye the feuerall Legacies heere bequeathed that then they take as many Cowes or heyfors owt of the Stocke & Share them betweene them at Twenty pounds the Beaft till euery portion be satisfied. And my will is y^t mine honoured and loueing ffreinds should in their accompt unto myne heire make abatement for all their paines and Charges in the following any busynes therein Contayned, whome I desire the Lord to blesse, that the worke may prosper in thire hands. Dated this first of the sixt month 1637, and signed with mine own hand.

p^r Jo : Spenfer.

My will & intent is that if John Spencer my Nephew should die with out heires of his body Lawfully begotten that then my brother Thomas Spencer & his Children shall share the fame, A Sonne to haue three times as a Daughter : & if they should faile by death That then the Children of my brother Nicholas Kidwel & the Children of my Sifter Rachell Kidwell to them halfe theirow, & the next of my blood & whole Kindred that shall first come ouer to reside in this Country to haue thother halfe : more ouer I giue to my Cofen Gardnars Children twenty Shillings the peece

witnesse

p Jo : Spenfer.

Robert Jeoffreys
Thomas Thacher.

Left at Newbery 11 Cowes 3 Heyfors 4 oxen, 1 Steere, 4 Cowe Calues, 1 Bull, 7 steer Calues 1 Mare, 3 Mare Colts befids Swine and Powltry Corne Cloaths Cloathes Apparell Howshould stufte.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

GREEN FAMILY BURYING GROUND.

The burial place upon the farm of John Green at Rial Side was probably used as such for several years before 23 : 3 : 1684, when the following vote was passed by the town : " Att . . . Towne meeting Iohn Green of Ryall Side Did Desire of the inhabitants then mett that he might have a Liberty to bury thence forward his dead in Beverly buriall place and it was put unto the vote & Graunted provided he Did beare his proportion in any necessarie Charges about the said buriall place which said Green did engage to Doe." Mr. Green died six years later, and his remains were interred in this burial place, which has ever since continued to be used as such. The following are all the inscriptions remaining here that bear dates prior to 1800.

Here Lyes the Body of
Mary Corning widow
of Jofhua Corning
who Died April 17th
1774 in the 77th Year
of her Age.

—
HERE LYETH BURIED
Y^e BODY OF
JOHN GREEN AGED
ABOUT 60 YEARS
DECEASED Y^e 11. DAY
OF JANUARY
169⁹ $\frac{1}{1}$

—
Here Lyeth y^e body
of Jonathan Green
Who died Novem^{br}
Y^e 15th 1731 in
the 38th year of
his Age

—
*Sacred to the
Memory of
M^r WILLIAM GREEN,
who departed this life
May the 23^d AD 1791,
Ætat. 71.*

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

Continued from page 142.

George Walton (also, Walten) of Portsmouth att Pascattoqua, vintner, and Henry Roby (also, Robie) of Hampton, yeoman, for £254 8s. 1d., mortgaged to Mr. John Payne (also, Payn) of Boston, merchant, dwelling-house, warehouse, wharves, and land formerly called Georg Walten's ordinary, on the great island in Pascattoqua, bounded by John Lewis, Brian Pendleton and great harbor; also, dwelling-house, barn and a great neck of land, near land of Alexander Jones, formerly called Walton's neck, on ye great island in Pascattoqua; and a commonage, Oct. 28, 1662. Wit: Edward Lillie, Edw: Hun: and Wm. Howard. Ack. by H. R. for himself and as attorney* for G. W. 30 : 8 : 1662, before Elea: Lusher. William Howard was agent for Mr. John Payne.

William Deale (his O mark) of Haverhill, for £60, mortgaged to Mr. John Carlton (also, Carleton) and Bartholomew Heath, both of Haverhill, 43 acres of plough land in Haverhill, bounded by Thomas Eaton, Little river, and great river, at east end of the town, and accommodations, June 25, 1662. Wit: John Gedney and Robert Lord. Ack. June 25, 1662, before Samuel Symonds. The land was delivered to mortgagees by John Heath, sr. (his † mark), June 26, 1662. Wit: James Pecker and Joseph Davis. B. H. (his B. H. mark) assigned it to Capt. Pall White of Newbury Jan. 29, 1662. Wit: Daniell Ela, Elizabeth Ela and James Pecker.

James Davis, sr., aged about 60 years, deposed that William fifeild had 20 acres of land appointed to him about twenty years ago by Hampton on south side of Hampton fls river. Sworn in court at Salisbury 14 : 2 : 1663.

Richard Swaine, aged about 67 years, deposed that William fifeild had 20 acres

*The letter of attorney is recorded, being dated Oct. 22, 1662. Walton calls Roby his friend. This was to settle a dispute with Payne. Wit: Edward West and Tho: Bradbury. Ack. Oct. 22, 1662, before Brian Pendleton, commissioner.

of land appointed him on south side of the fals river, bounded by place where "ye ancient dry herd penn did stand." Sworn before Tho: Wigin 19 : 7 : 1662.

Thomas Davis (his D mark) of Haverhill conveyed to his son Joseph Davis of Haverhill my third division lot in Haverhill (230 acres), bounded by little river, Peter Eyer, Theophilus Satchwell and Georg Corlis, Aug. 20, 1662. Wit: James Pecker and Robert Clements. Ack. before Elie: Lusher 15 : 2 : 1663.

Thomas Davis (his D mark) of Haverhill mortgaged to Mr. Nathanell ffryer of Portsmouth in Pascatoquock river my dwelling house and lot in Haverhill, for lumber to be delivered at Boston dock, Mr. Robert Gibb's warehouse, Oct. 2, 1662. Wit: Richard Littlehale, Lart: heath (his B. H. mark) and James Pecker. Ack. 14 : 2 : 1663 before Elea: Lusher.

Richard Currier of Salisbury, for £8, conveyed to Thomas ffowler of Salisbury, husbandman, 20 acres of upland, bounded by Merrimack river, country highway leading to Haverhill, George Carr and Edward Cottell, April 17, 1663. Wit: James Pecker and Bartholomew Heath (his B. H. mark). Ack., his wife releasing dower, in court at Salisbury 14 : 2 : 1663.

Richard Singletary (his I sign) of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Rodger Eastman my housing and house-lot, lying between house lots of widow Willix and Sam: ffelloes; my planting lot lying between planting lots formerly of Mr. John Hodges and Richard North; a meadow lot of 2 acres, bounded by Jn^o Bayly, sr., and William Barnes; and my rights of commonage, all being in Salisbury, Jan. 1, 1652. Wit: Jn^o Severans and Tho: Battelle. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14 : 2 : 1663.

June 16, 1662, Tho: Dow (his T mark) of Haverhill, for £18, conveyed to Daniell Ela of Haverhill 15 acres of planting land and second division which I bought of Robert Swan, bounded by Tho: Davis, Jn^o Hazeltine, George Corlis, highway and path that leads to Jn^o Eyer; and

two commonages. Wit: Rich: Littlehale and Rodger Lanckton. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14 : 2 : 1663.

Aug. 14, 1662, James Davis, sr., Henry Palmer, George Brown and Theophilus Satchwell, appointed by Haverhill, for 20s., conveyed to Dan: Ela of Haverhill, tanner, 1 acre of upland by the great pond. Wit: John Carlton and James Pecker. Ack. by first three 20 : 1 : 1662 before Symond Bradstreet.

Nov. 29, 1662, Hugh Sharratt (also, Sharatt) of Haverhill, for £5, conveyed to Dan Ela of Haverhill my right in the addition to my 4th division of upland belonging to my 8 acres of accommodations, which I formerly gave 8 persons, 160 acres in all. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. 20 : 1 : 1662 before Symon Bradstreet.

Feb. -, 1661. Tho: Davis (his & mark), Jn^o Hutchins (his I H mark) and Daniell Hendrick, all of Haverhill conveyed to James Pecker of Haverhill, carpenter, 2 acres of land purchased for the use of the saw-mill of Hugh Sharratt of Haverhill (being at first 3 acres, a part having been reserved for an intercourse to the saw-mill), bounded by the highway, Jn^o Hazeltine, and land grantee bought of the committee chosen for the repairing of the meeting-house. Wit: Daniel Lad (his T mark) and Joseph Davis. Ack. by all three 14 : 2 : 1663 before Elea: Lusher.

June 15, 1658, Steven Kent of Haverhill and Annah his wife (her K mark), for £7, conveyed to Peter Eyer of Haverhill 4 acres in Hither west meadow, bounded by James ffiske and The: Satchwell; and 3 acres at Haux meadow, bounded by Edward Clarke and Matthias Button. Wit: Richard Littlehale and William White. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14 : 2 : 1663.

July 29, 1655, Daniell Hendrick of Haverhill, for £5, conveyed to Peter Eyer of Haverhill 5¼ acres in world's-end meadow, bounded by Tho: Davis and Sam: Gile. Wit: John Carlton and James Pecker. Ack. in court at Salisbury April 14, 1663.

May 22, 1653, Georg: Brown (also, Browne) of Haverhill, for £28, sold to Peter Eyer of Haverhill 4 acres of accommodations in 1st and 2d divisions of upland, 40 acres of my 2d division, 3 acres in hither-west meadow, and 1 acre in my 2d division. Wife Ann Brown signs and acknowledges. Wit: Rich: Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. by grantor and his wife Aug. 2, 1653, before Jn^o Eaton, Joseph Peasley and Jn^o Clement; and by grantor in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

April 8, 1659, Thomas Davis (his & mark) and wife Christian (her X mark) of Haverhill, for £40, conveyed to John Williams, jr., of Haverhill my house, barn and house lot of 5 acres in ye town, bounded by Mr. Jewett and Jn^o Williams, sr.; five commonages (two for great cattle in ye ox common); and 4 acres in world's-end meadow, bounded by Peter Eyer. Wit: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

March 21, 1661, Robert Swan of Haverhill and wife Elizabeth (signed by mark), for £13, conveyed to Jn^o Williams, jr., of Haverhill 10 acres of 2d division of upland on west side of fishing river, and 1 acre in 1st division of meadow, formerly Bart: Heath's on north side of Tho: Eyer's Hauke's meadow, Wit: Richard Littlehale. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

John Rolfe (his R mark) of Salisbury, husbandman, for £17, conveyed to Caleb Moody of Nuberie, tailor, 9 acres and 66 rods of salt marsh in Salisbury, towards mouth of Merrimack river by ye beach, June 18, 1662. Wit: Richard Dole and William Chandler. Ack. before Tho: Wiggam April 17, 1663.

Richard Singletary (his S mark) of Salisbury, planter, for £3, conveyed to Josiah Cobham of Salisbury, planter, the upper half of my 20-acre planting lot on west side of Pawwaus river in Salisbury, bounded by Anthony Sadler, Isaac Buswell, Mr. Samuell Winsley and country highway, 1: 1: 1645. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Wymond Bradbury. Ack. 32:

3: 1654 before Tho: Bradbury and Josiah Cobham, commissioner of Salisbury.

William Huntington (his 2 mark) and wife Joana of Salisbury newtown, planter, for £5, conveyed to Robert Pike of Salisbury a 20 acre lot in Salisbury newtown, bounded by Jn^o Weed, common land, Edward Elliott and Walter Tayler, July 20, 1662. Wit: Sarah Bradbury and Jn^o Hendrick (his H mark). Ack. in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

Josiah Cobham assigns above deed to Rich: Currier of Salisbury, planter, April 17, 1663. Wit: John Weed and Edward Goe. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

Henry Blasdal of Salisbury, tailor, conveyed to Isaac Colby of Salisbury, planter, my 30-acre lot of upland granted to me by Salisbury newtown, and lying therein, upon a place called ye Champian land, bounded by George Martyn, William Sargent and common ground, April 17, 1663. Wit: Eben: Severans and Abrahama Cole. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

Anthony Colby of Salisbury, planter, for land in Salisbury on west side of Pawwaus river, conveyed to Josiah Cobham 4 acres of upland on west side of Pawwaus river, bounded by highway and Willia Sargent, 25: 1: 1645. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Rich: Courrier. Ack. before Sam: Winsley and Robert Pike, commissioners.

Jarrett Haddon (his h mark) of Salisbury conveyed to Isaac Colby of Salisbury, planter, my 40-acre lot of planting ground granted to me by Salisbury newtown in said town between the lots of William Huntington and Anthony Colby (late deceased), April 17, 1663. Wit: Eben: Severans and Abrahama Cole. Ack. in court at Salisbury April 14, 1633 (1663?).

Josiah Cobham assigned a certain bill of sale to Willi: Barnes April 18, 1663, provided assignee takes no advantage thereunder against Jn^o Hoyt, sr., and Rich: Currier of any land they bought of me. Ack. in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

William Huntington (his 2 mark) of Salisbury, laborer, conveyed to Walter Tayler of Salisbury, shipwright, 6 acres of upland in Salisbury newtown bounded by Phillip Challis, Edmond Elliott and Merrimack river, Dec. 13, 1662. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Henry ffane. Ack., wife consenting—witnesses, Jarret Haddon and Isaac Colby, in court at Salisbury 14: 2: 1663.

M^s Rebecka Worcester of Salisbury, widow, for £12, conveyed to Capt. Robert Pike of Salisbury, planter, 3 acres of fresh marsh, being part of a 6-acre lot given to my former husband Mr. Henry Bylie by Salisbury, bounded by Mr. Edward Woodman, Jn^o Rolfe and Jn^o Clough, April 1, 1663. Wit: Daniell Epps and Andrew Greely. Ack. May 19, 1663, before Samuel Symonds.

Walter Tayler of Salisbury, shipwright, conveyed to William Huntington of Salisbury, laborer, 20 acres of upland granted to me by the newtown of Salisbury in said newtown, bounded by Capt. Robert Pike, Sam: ffoot and Haverhill highway, Dec. 13, 1662. Alce Tayler (her 18X mark) also signs. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Henry ffane. Ack., and wife released dower, in court at Salisbury, 14: 2: 1662.

Rebecka Bylie, daughter of Mr. Henry Bylie, consents to sale of 3 acres of fresh marsh to Capt. Robert Pike, etc. Wit: Daniell Epps and Andrew Greely. Ack. May 19, 1663, before Samuel Symonds.

Thomas Coleman (also, Coulman and Couleman) of Hampton, yeoman, conveyed to John Redman of Hampton, blacksmith, 8 acres of marsh in Hampton, bounded by Edward Colcord and Thomas Moulton (now in hands of M^s Dalton), July 15, 1663. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Peter Jonson. Ack. 26: 5: 1663 before W^m Hawthorn.

Willia Huntington (his 2 mark) and wife Joannah (her X mark) assigns bill of sale from Walter Tayler to Capt. Robert Pike of Salisbury May 20, 1663. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Christopher Bartlet.

Thomas Coleman of Hampton, planter, and wife Mary, conveyed to Jn^o Marian of Hampton 8 acres of salt marsh granted to Edmund Jonson, sometimes of Hampton, deceased, on south of falls river in Hampton, bounded by Jn^o Cram, Christopher Hussie and ye main river of Hampton town, Aug. 25, 1662. Wit: Samuell Dalton and Mehitabel Dalton. Ack. Nov. 22, 1662, by Sam: Dalton, attorney for grantor, before Tho: Wigginn.

Tho: Coleman of Hampton conveyed to Jn^o Marian of Hampton, planter, 4 acres of fresh meadow in Hampton, bounded by Robert Page, Sam: Dalton, Robert Tuck, Moses Cox, etc., July 15, 1663. Wit: Sam: Dalton and Peter Jonson. Ack. 16: 4: 1663 before W^m Hed—.

To be continued.

NOTES.

Barnabas Allen¹, according to tradition, came from Scotland to Gloucester early in the eighteenth century; and married, at Boston, Mary, daughter of John and Huldah Baxter of Braintree May 13, 1740. She came to Beverly a widow, and died there Jan. 13, 1790, aged seventy-one, being the first person interred in the Dane street cemetery. Children: 1. *John Baxter*,² b. at Boston; and d. there Oct. 8, 1751. 2. *John Baxter*,² b. at Boston, 1751; m. Ruth Stephens of Beverly Nov. 8, 1784. He lived in Beverly, and was a merchant in 1787. She d. in Beverly, of cancer in the side, Feb. 18, 1831, aged seventy; and he d. Aug. —, 1836, aged eighty-five. Children, born in Beverly: 1. Henry,³ b. Oct. 16, 1791; m. Hannah Ford April 3, 1814; had six children; and d. in 1844: his family removing to Greenville, N. Y.; 2. John,³ b. Sept. 14, 1796; d. Oct. 14, 1797; 3. Mary Anna,³ b. May 7, 1802; m. Cotton Bennett July 20, 1820; and d. March 10, 1849. He d. Feb. 15, 1859. They had ten children. —*Beverly town records, Registry of deeds, etc.*

John Allin of Marblehead, 1669.

Abram Allen of Marblehead, 1670.

—*Quarterly court records, Salem.*

Polly Allen married Grover Burnham, both of Ipswich, Nov. 27, 1768.

Mary Allen married Daniel Greenough, both of Ipswich, Feb. 12, 1727-8.

Sarah Allen married Noah Guilbert, both of Ipswich, Feb. 20, 1727-8.

Enoch, son of Jacob Allen, born July 28, 1765.

Widow Sarah Allen of Ipswich published to William Burrows May 16, 1719.

Martha Allen of Ipswich married Daniel Moulton March 2, 1729.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Ann, daughter of Benjamin Allen, baptized July 15, 1750.—*St. Peter's (Salem) church records.*

David Allen, of Beverly, 1739-1749, of Haverhill District, N. H., 1749, and of Salem, Mass., 1754. He was called a mariner in 1743, and a miller in 1746 and 1749. He married Susannah — before 1739. He died in 1754, and she survived him, living in Salem. Children, born in Beverly: John, born April 29, 1739; Susannah, born June 18, 1743; David, born Feb. 16, 1745-6; died Oct. 9, 1748; and Mary, born Jan. 16, 1748; baptized Jan. 22, 1749.—*Beverly town and church records, Registry of deeds, etc.*

John Allen of Marblehead, fisherman, married Hannah —; and both died in or before 1754. His will, dated March 15, 1753, was proved March 25, 1754. Children baptized in Marblehead: *Miriam*, baptized June 21, 1685; died young; *John*, baptized June 21, 1685; died young; *Nicholas*, baptized June 21, 1685; probably died young; *Thomas*, baptized June 21, 1685; probably died young; *Richard*, baptized Aug. 21, 1687; married Elizabeth Clifford of Marblehead Nov. 20, 1709; *Abraham*, baptized Dec. 15, 1689; probably died young; *Susannah*, of Marblehead, unmarried, 1764; *Ebenezer*, baptized Jan. 1, 1692-3; married Grace Oliver of Marblehead Dec. 25, 1712; *Sarah*, married — Smith before 1753; *John*, baptized Oct.

13, 1700; fisherman; lived in Marblehead; was supposed to be dead in 1753; had two children: Sarah, married Richard Shapley of Marblehead July 10, 1747; and Hannah, who was unmarried in 1753; *Mary*, baptized Dec. 13, 1702; married John Vickery of Marblehead, fisherman, before 1753; and was living in 1760; *Moses*, lived in Marblehead, fisherman; married Alice Neck of Marblehead Dec. 7, 1740; had a daughter Hannah, who was unmarried in 1753; administration was granted on his estate Nov. 11, 1746; his widow married, secondly, Jonathan Burros of Marblehead Nov. 20, 1746; *Miriam*, baptized April 13, 1707; married John Pickett, jr., of Marblehead Nov. 10, 1726; and was living in 1756; *Samuel*, baptized Feb. 26, 1709-10; probably died young; *Hannah*, baptized Aug. 15, 1714; married John Procter of Marblehead, fisherman, before 1753; and was living in 1756.

Jacob Allen of Marblehead, married Ann —; and had the following children born in Marblehead: *Jacob*, born Feb. 2, 1728; lived in Marblehead: fisherman; married Mary Oakes Dec. 28, 1749; and died in 1752, leaving widow Mary and one child; *Thomas*, born Feb. 16, 1732; married Rebecca Smith Dec. 25, 1755; and died in 1759; *William*, baptized Aug. 6, 1738; married Mary —; and died in 1774, leaving widow Mary, who married, secondly, John Trefry of Marblehead Dec. 18, 1774, and children, William, baptized Oct. 3, 1762, Elizabeth and Mary, all of whom were living in 1788; and *John*, baptized April 17, 1743; mariner; lived in Marblehead; and died, probably unmarried, in 1790.

Abraham Allen, fisherman, of Marblehead, 1713, 1719, 1724-5; and of Lynn, 1715 and 1744-5. He sold his house in Lynn in 1719, when he was living in Marblehead. He married Ruth, daughter of William Bassett, yeoman, of Lynn (published Nov. 21, 1713); and she was living in 1725.

—*Marblehead town records, Registry of deeds, etc.*

Ebenezer Allen married Tabitha Watts, both of Marblehead, Jan. 22, 1756 (probably second marriage). He lived in Marblehead, fisherman, 1752, 1764, and 1771. Tabitha was his wife in 1771.

Jeremiah Allen of Boston, merchant, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Oulton, esq., of Marblehead June 6, 1729; and had two children born in Marblehead: Mary, June 21, 1732; and Jeremiah, Aug. 24, 1734. He moved to Boston in 1739, when he is called "junior." —*Marblehead town records, and Registry of deeds.*

"To be LET,

A convenient Bake-Houfe, near the New Mills at Danvers. Enquire of BENJAMIN PICKMAN, Esq; of *Salem*."—*Advertisement in Essex Gazette, Nov. 22-29, 1768.*

Elizabeth Allen married Benjamin Haskell of Gloucester, 1708; and she died Sept. 3, 1724, aged thirty-five.

David Allen's child died in Beverly, 1748.

Widow of Deacon Allen died in Beverly Sept. 25, 1749.

Jno. Allen's infant died of the distemper at Beverly Dec. 5, 1758.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

239. Who were the parents and grandparents of Daniel Wood, of Boxford, who married Sarah, daughter of Robert and Grace Andrews of Boxford? Sarah, born, 1658. M. W. V.

Valparaiso, Ind.

240. Who was Samuel Ayer who married a Chamberlain about 1818, lived in Loudon, N. H., and had children, Perley, Charles, John, Samuel, Nancy and others? *Grand Rapids, Mich.* C. M. A.

241. Wanted, to know as near as possible the date of erection of "Old Adams Homestead," Hamilton. Also, where can I trace ancestry of Henry Adams, father of William Adams who lived in Cambridge in 1635. J. A. G.

Pontiac, Ill.

242. Wanted, ancestry of Lucy Danforth who married Winthrop Lee of Manchester, Mass., and died about 1798. *Worcester.* F. K. E.

ANSWERS.

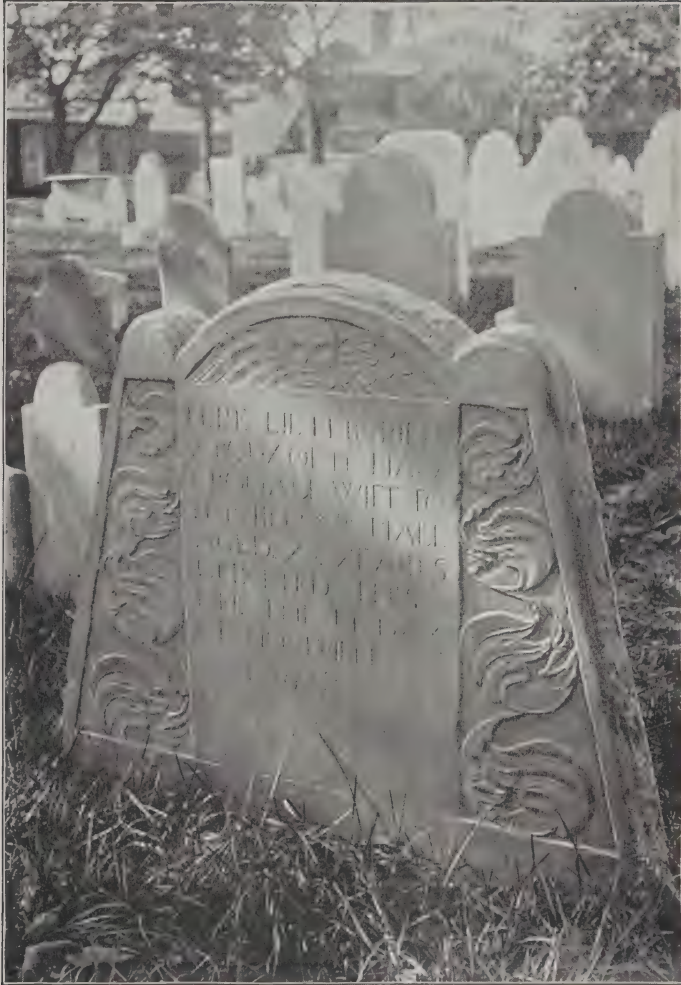
140. Hannah Haseltine, wife of Benjamin Cushing, was daughter of Nathaniel and Hannah (Kimball) Haseltine, and was born in April, 1749. Nathaniel was son of Samuel, son of Nathaniel, son of John, of Rowley, who was one of the first settlers of Bradford. Hannah (Kimball) Haseltine married, secondly, Samuel True of Salisbury April 11, 1754. Hannah (Cushing) and her sister Abigail are named in the will of their grandfather Samuel Haseltine, 1754 (Essex Probate records, book 33, leaf 106); also, in settlement of the estate of their father (Nathaniel), 1753-1760 (Probate records, book 31, leaves 91 and 177, and book 37, leaf 65). —*L. B. Cushing, Newburyport.*

232. Ruth Symonds, who married Andrew Eliot of Beverly and Boston was daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Andrews) Symonds of Boxford. Samuel Symonds came to Boxford from Salem, but his parentage is not known to the writer.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

MARRIAGES AND BAPTISMS AT SOUTH HAMPTON, N. H., 1743-1801. Boston, 1899. These records have been published by Mr. George A. Gordon from a manuscript copy of the church records of South Hampton; and form a pamphlet of twenty-six printed pages.

AN INQUIRY INTO THE AUTHENTICITY OF THE SO-CALLED FIRST MEETING HOUSE PRESERVED BY THE ESSEX INSTITUTE AT SALEM, MASS. By *Eben Putnam*. Danvers, 1899. This is an interesting pamphlet of seventeen pages, throwing new light upon the subject with which it deals. It will be read with interest by all, whether they accept or reject the building as containing the frame of the original meeting house in Salem.



CROMWELL GRAVESTONE, SALEM.

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EARLY GRAVESTONES IN ESSEX COUNTY.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

OUR forefathers in Essex county did not choose the pleasantest part of the land for the village burying ground, perhaps because of the intense plainness of everything sacred of the earliest settlers. Neither did they erect inscribed memorial stones to mark the resting place of their early dead. It is said that the earliest stone here still intelligible is at North Andover, and bears date of 1668. Doubtless a few stones were erected earlier, which are now gone. Gravestones are not as permanent as they are commonly considered, and probably but a small proportion of those erected before 1725, are in existence.

Most of the stones now standing, that were erected prior to 1705, were made of an unctuous slate, that was probably a product of the Welsh quarries. They were undoubtedly ordered of the stone cutters in England, the entire labor in preparing the stone for its office, even to the inscription, being performed in the mother-land. The engraving is very much superior to anything later until recent times, the ornamentation being in relief. The frontispiece shows the finest and only perfect example of this class of ancient gravestones known to exist in the county. It is that of Mrs. Mary Cromwell in Salem, and is dated 1683. The best type of the American production of the first half of the eighteenth century is shown in the plate opposite page 192. It is that of Mrs. Martha Hale, who died in 1723, and it is found in the Groveland cemetery.

Other and cheaper varieties of foreign slate were introduced into this country, subsequently to the importation of the

fine Wales slate, for many years in slabs, and cut as ordered. Early in the eighteenth century, American slate began to be used. Sandstone, freestone and sienite from our own hills were also employed to a limited extent. Marble began to be used about 1810, but was not common until after 1840.

Who made the many crude stones that are found in every ancient burial ground here? This question is often asked, but has never been answered. The first gravestone maker that the writer has discovered in this county is Robert Mullikin of Bradford, the Scotchman. He was producing them in 1723, being paid that year thirty shillings for the gravestone of Dr. Daniel Bradstreet of Amesbury. Records show that he subsequently, for many years, carried on the business, many specimens of his work being still seen in Bradford, Boxford, Newbury and other places on either side of the Merrimac. Large numbers of the small stones erected to the memory of children that died of the fatal throat distemper of 1735-7, were from his shop.

John Holliman was paid for gravestones by the estate of Samuel Robinson of Salem in 1724. Whether or not he was an Essex county stone cutter the writer has not learned.

Richard Lighton (probably of Rowley) was paid for gravestones by the estate of Moses Bradstreet in 1738.

James Ford was paid for gravestones from the estate of Elizabeth, daughter of Dr. John Aborn of Lynnfield, in 1771.

Paul Noyes, a stone cutter of Newburyport, made many gravestones after the

Revolution. The volume entitled *Sketches of Old Newbury*, at page 460, gives a fine specimen of his work in engraving early in his career. He died in 1810, and in his inventory are mentioned thirty-two gravestones appraised at \$172, pieces of marble \$2.50, rough stones \$6.50, 1770 feet of free stones \$480, and stone cutting tools and foils \$4.

Joseph Marble, probably successor of Mullikin near the old burying ground at Bradford, made gravestones as early as 1789 for Newbury people. The gravestone of Dr. William L. Abbot in the Greenwood cemetery at East Haverhill is the work of his hands. Its date is 1798.

John Homer (or, Horner) was paid for gravestones by the estate of widow Abigail Brown of Salem in 1791.

Thomas Park was paid for gravestones and setting of them by the estate of John Appleton of Ipswich in 1794.

William Park was paid for gravestones by the estate of Nathaniel Appleton in 1798.

William Brown engraved and sold gravestones in Rowley and Bradford in 1814.

The ordinary ancient gravestone is about twenty inches wide and about thirty high above the ground. The shape varies, the following being the principal forms, the first predominating. The second is



very old and comparatively rare. The others are much later. The rectangular shaped stone was sometimes used, but generally in case of children.

The thickness was ordinarily two inches, but frequently more.

Footstones, generally rectangular shaped, and sometimes peaked at the top, as in the cut, were erected, being much smaller than the headstones, and bearing the initials of the name of the deceased, frequently with the



year of death and a picture of a coffin or hourglass.

In the inscription capital letters were used almost exclusively until the middle of the eighteenth century, when lower-case letters were introduced, being mixed with the capitals without rule or reason.

JOHN
WHO
1750

The following cut shows the prevailing style of letters and figures during the first three-quarters of that century.

The inscriptions on the older stones generally began, "Here lies the body of," or, "Here lieth the body of." This form was discontinued in the Revolutionary period. "Here lies buried" was sometimes used in the early inscriptions, but was common only from about 1735 to 1755. About 1745, "Here lies interred" began to be used, but it is rarely found after 1767. "In Memory of" came into general use just prior to the Revolution, and remained popular until recent times.

Epitaphs were rare until the Revolution and the introduction of Watts hymns. Then stanzas from his pen were often added to the ordinary data. The only epitaphs, with rare exceptions, used prior to the Revolution were the couplets,

"As you are so were we,
As we are you shall be;"

and,

"As I am now so you must be,
Prepare for death and follow me."

From an early period, occasionally, but more frequently toward the close of the eighteenth century, at the head of the stone, generally on the curve above the head of the angel, and in very small italic letters, was inscribed the Latin phrase, *Memento mori*.

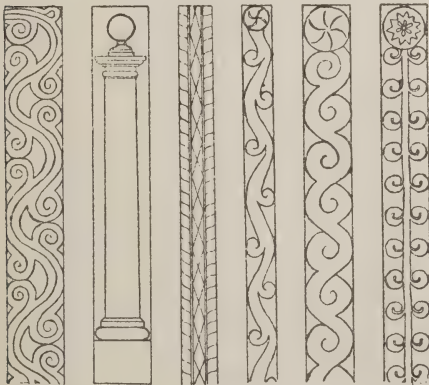
Perhaps the most interesting feature of ancient gravestones, and one that is generally little regarded, is the ornamental, which had in view not only the fancy but the mimic art.

On either side of the inscription were perpendicular borders, generally about three inches in width. The following

cuts show the more ordinary forms, and give an excellent idea of what may be found in old burial grounds in the way of art. The following are from the gravestones of the persons named, respectively, who died at the dates given. Numbering from the left hand: 1. Jonathan Harriman, Georgetown, 1741; 2. Mrs. Rebecca Picket, Newburyport, 1804; 3. Mrs. Lydia Holland, Marblehead, 1801; 4. Mrs. Margaret Townsend, Salem, 1792; 5. Capt. John Felt, Salem, 1796; 6. Mrs. Esther West, Salem, 1743.



Six more specimens of similar borders follow: 1. John Perley, Boxford, 1729; 2. Miss Mary Bridgeo, Marblehead, 1805;



3. Thomas F. Salkins, Marblehead, 1808; 4. Mrs. Elizabeth Pingrey, Georgetown, 1781; 5. Lt. Ebenezer Burpey, George-

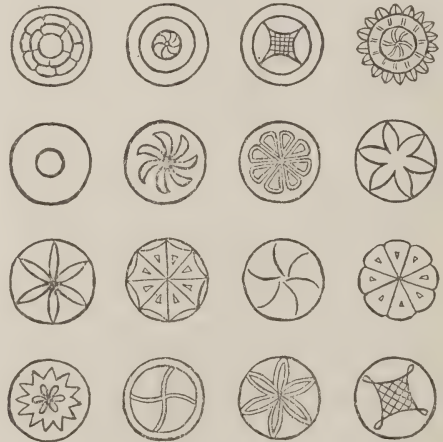
town, 1771; 6. Mrs. Elizabeth Mighill, Georgetown, 1781.

Six more specimens of similar borders follow: 1. Mrs. Lucy Spofford, Georgetown, 1766; 2. Thomas Merrill, George-



town, 1774; 3. Dea. Thomas Moody, Newburyport, 1784; 4. Hon. Nathaniel Ropes, Salem, 1774; 5. Mrs. Sarah Gould, Salem, 1814; 6. John Marston, sr., Salem, 1681.

On the upper corners were ornaments, circular in form, and about three inches in diameter. The following are sixteen



specimens, some of which are crude and simple and others pretty and artistic. Commencing at the left of each row successively, they were taken from the gravestones of the following named persons,

the dates being those of their death. 1. Joseph Saul, Salem, 1825; 2. Capt. John Brown, Marblehead, 1709; 3. Mrs. Elizabeth Holyoke, Marblehead, 1717; 4. Deliverance Parkman, Salem, 1715; 5. John McHard, Newburyport, 1747-8; 6. ———, Georgetown, 1735; 7. ———, Georgetown, 1732; 8. Mrs. Martha Harriman, Georgetown, 1733; 9. Benjamin George, Newburyport, 1754; 10. John Perley, Boxford, 1729; 11. Lt. Ebenezer Burpey, Georgetown, 1771; 12. Nathaniel Burnham, Boxford, 1746; 13. Mrs. Elizabeth Mighill, Georgetown, 1781; 14. Mrs. Elizabeth Pingrey, 1781; 15. Mrs. Faith Bootman, Boxford, 1717; 16. Abel Gardner, Salem, 1739.

Angels, represented by grotesque heads and wings, generally occupied the semi-circular part of the stone above the inscription. The following is that seen on the gravestone of Abel Gardner, in Salem, in 1739:—



That on the gravestone of Mrs. Lucy Spofford, in Georgetown, in 1766, is as follows:—



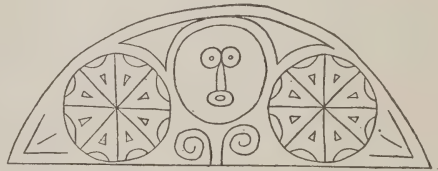
That on the gravestone of Mrs. Elizabeth Pingrey, in Georgetown, in 1781, is as follows:—



That on the gravestone of Dea. Thomas Moody, in Newburyport, in 1784, is as follows:—



A common form shows the head only, as on the gravestone of John Perley, at Boxford, in 1729, which is as follows:—



Angels lost their popularity before the Revolution. About 1750 the weeping willow, with an urn beneath its branches, began to be used, and soon became a favorite ornament, remaining popular for half a century. The following is an ex-



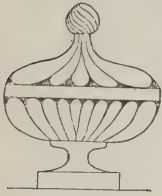
ample of the earlier form. It is found on the gravestone of Mrs. Lydia Holland, in Marblehead, who died in 1801. The later and more elaborate form is also given.



This is copied from the gravestone of Mrs. Sarah Noyes, in Newbury, in 1808.

The urn without the willow, and the willow without the urn, were soon used.

The following is such an urn found on the gravestone of Mrs. Margaret Townsend, in Salem, in 1792.



The following is one

copied from the gravestone of Mrs. Anna Rose, in Salem, in 1796.

The following can be seen on the gravestone of Mrs.

Sarah Williams, in Salem, in 1814.



The following lamp, delineated on the gravestone of Samuel Wil-

liams, in Salem, in 1801, is easily mistaken for an urn.



Before the close of the Revolution even other suggestive forms of ornaments came into use, and in the course of fifty years they became numerous.

The following, representing a flower broken off its stem, is copied from the gravestone of Mrs. Elizabeth Perkins, in Newburyport, in 1781.



The following, showing the opening bud, is on the gravestone of Clarissa Perkins, in Newburyport, in 1793. She was aged one year.



The following is engraved on the gravestone of Mrs. Dolly Picket, in Newburyport, in 1795.



The rising sun is uncommon and used for both young and old. The gravestone of Mrs. Mary Pickering, in Salem, in 1784, shows it as follows:—



From this brief sketch it will be seen how interesting old burying places may become to the observing visitor. The engravings shown herewith were obtained casually, and give only a hint of what might be found on an exhaustive search.

LIBERTY TEA.

“Extract of a letter from a Gentleman in Falmouth, to his Friend in Cambridge.

... “Inclosed is some BOHEA TEA, which grew at Pearfontown, about 20 Miles from this.—The Shrub they say, very much resembles that which grows in the East Indies. How plenty it is, I can’t at present inform you; but I believe in the Season of it, large Quantities may be gathered.”—(The Specimen of the TEA abovementioned, was

received at Newbury-Port the Day the Rev. Mr. Marfh was ordained. In the Afternoon a Difh of it was made and ferved round to a Circle of Gentlemen and Ladies, who pronounced it, under all the Difadvantages of want of Cultivation, imperfect Cure, and being wrapped a confiderable Time in Paper, to have all the diftinguifhing Characteriftics of genuine BOHEA TEA. So important a Difcovery claims, efpecially at this Crifis, the Attention of every Friend to America. If we have the Plant, nothing is wanting but the Procefs of curing it, to have TEA of our own Manufacture. If a Receipt cannot be obtained, Gentlemen of Curiofity and Chymical Skill would render their Country eminent Service, if by Experiments they would inveftigate the beft Method of preparing it for Ufe.)

PATRICOLA.

—*Essex Gazette*, Nov. 22-29, 1768.

ALLEN NOTES.

Edward Allen, fupposed to have come from Scotland, married Sarah Kimball of Ipswich Nov. 24, 1658. Lived in Ipswich until about 1680, when he removed to Suffield, where he had two children born. She died June 12, 1696. Children, born in Ipswich: John, b. Aug. 29, 1659. Killed by Indians May 11, 1704, at Deerfield, where he had lived after 1685; Sarah, b. July 4, 1661; d. Feb. 10, 1661-2; Edward, b. May 1, 1662; lived at Deerfield, where he died in 1740; Sarah, b. March 1, 1664; m. Edward Smith Apr. 21, 1685; Elizabeth, b. Dec. 20, 1666; William, b. March 12, 1668; died in Suffield, 1702; Benjamin, b. Sept. 22 or 27, 1673; David, b. Feb. 1, 1675; Abigail, b. March 25, 1678; m. Timothy Palmer; Samuel, b. in 1683; ancestor of Hon. Samuel C. Allen; Caleb, b. March 31, 1685; Martha, m. Samuel Kent, jr.; and Mary.—*Ipswich town records*, *Savage*, etc.

Sarah Allen of Gloucester published to Francis Hilton of Ipswich Nov. 17, 1770.
—*Ipswich town records*.

Rev. James Allen of Salisbury,* married Elizabeth Cotton in Salisbury in 1688; and died March 4, 1695-6, leaving real estate at New Haven, Conn. His wife furvived him, and married, fecondly, Rev. Caleb Cufhing of Salisbury March 14, 1698-9. Children of Rev. James and Elizabeth (Cotton) Allen, born in Salisbury: Joanna, born March 5, 1690-1; married Elias Pike Jan. 19, 1715-6; Mary, born April 10, 1692: married John Appleton of Ipswich Feb. 28, 1716-7; Elizabeth, born Sept. 2, 1694; married (when of Hampton) Joshua Moody of Newbury April 18, 1715.—*Salisbury town records*; etc.

BEVERLY INSCRIPTIONS.

NORTH BEVERLY MEETING HOUSE CEMETERY.

The following are the only infcriptions bearing dates before 1800 now to be found in the cemetery at the North Beverly meeting houfe:—

In Memory of

Mrs. JUDITH FRANCIS,
who died June. 23^d 1792 in
the 43 year of her age.
She was the confort of Col.
EBENEZER FRANCIS, who fell
in defence of American liberty
In the action with the Britifh
army at *Hubbardftown* July 7th
1777, in the 34 year of his age.
Discretion which mark'd her fteps,
and friendships to human nature,
with every focial virtue were
the qualities of her mind.

In Memory of

Mrs. RACHEL FRANCIS
who died April 25th 1791,
in the 81st year of her age.
She was the confort of
Mr. EBENEZER FRANCIS,
of Medford.
Virtuous, generous & ufeul were
The characteriftics of this amiable
Woman.

*Rev. James Allen was born in New Haven, Conn., June 24, 1657, and was fon of Dea. Roger and Mary (Nash) Allen of New Haven.

THE POOR ATTORNEY.

Morn and evening, in an easy chair
 Sits an attorney sadly musing;
 Morn, noon and evening, sitting there,
 Blackstone, Coke, and Littleton perusing,
 With an air
 Of anxious waiting, in his easy chair.

Morn, and noon, and evening, "Well-a-day!"
 It is strange that modest merit never
 Did succeed, as all old people say
 It never did; though so very clever,
 He for aye
 Must wait till every dog has had his day.
H. O. Wiley.

JOSEPH HOVEY, ESQ.

BY SAMUEL L. KNAPP.*

Joseph Hovey was born in Boxford Oct. 31, 1776, being son of Joseph and Mary (Porter) Hovey. The father was a respectable yeoman, but not affluent; he had a large family to support, and he brought them up in competency and respectability. Several of the sons were instructed in good mechanical trades. Joseph was taught the trade of a clock and watch maker, but as he was from his boyish days very fond of reading, he acquired a taste for classical knowledge, and the first use that he made of his freedom from parental authority, at the age of twenty-one, was to set about devising some means to obtain a liberal education. His reputation for good habits and intelligence induced several who knew him to favor his plan of going to college. After pursuing his studies for some time with Rev. Peter Eaton, his pastor, he went to the Andover Phillips' Academy, of which Mark Newman, esq., was then principal. This instructor was friendly to this adult student, and treated him with great delicacy, neglecting nothing to make his situation as pleasant as possible. Though Mr. Hovey suffered on account of his age, he quietly persevered, and made fair progress. He entered

Harvard university in 1800, and while there won the respect and confidence of the few that really knew him, being retiring and modest, and easily confused by severity and impudence. He graduated in 1804.

After leaving college he taught a school for a year or more, and then entered the office of John Abbott, esq., a lawyer in Westford, but soon removed to Haverhill, pursuing his legal studies there with Hon. John Varnum until his admission to the Essex bar in 1808. He opened an office in Haverhill, and began his professional life. Mr. Varnum was his friend, furnishing him with means of subsistence in such a delicate and kindly manner that it could not be refused nor noticed. The society of the town was social, intelligent and refined, and in it Mr. Hovey was as happy as his nature, disposition and habits permitted.

He had a very good classical education, and excelled in mathematics and metaphysics, having a fondness for books that required mental exercise. His chief delight was in works of eloquence, poetry and able essays, quoting from them readily. But the more he read and the better he understood them the less he seemed qualified to speak himself. The sight of an audience withered all his faculties and dried his brain, being spellbound before a small number of hearers even.

Sometimes he produced verses of merit, always chaste and delicate, but wanting in force and passion. He played the flute with some skill, and found consolation in its music; when fretful and moody, his flute and a little harpsichord were successfully used "to charm away the fiends."

In his religious belief he became an Episcopalian. Although many of his views of society were wrong, yet his observations on characters were generally shrewd, learned and novel, frequently a little tinged with the corrosive and sickly impressions incident to chafed spirits. If his remarks were sometimes bitter, he had no permanent malice in his

*This sketch is abbreviated from, and parentage and dates of birth and death added to, the sketch given in Knapp's Sketches of Lawyers, Statesmen, and Men of Letters, published in 1821.

nature. His sarcasms were only the feverish breath of the moment, and passed away like the vapors of the morning.

He had read law with diligence, and was very well acquainted with first principles, but he had no readiness in practice, hesitating, reflecting and doubting, until his client lost all confidence in his knowledge; yet he was a safe counsellor. Had he acted as well as he reasoned he would have had much to do.

Morbidness conjured for him evils that in reality he did not have to bear; he was a friend and admirer of the gentler sex, but fear of rivalry caused him to withhold advances, and in every amusement or entertainment a death's head rose before him.

In person he was tall, thin and pale, and was singularly abstemious, fearing that he should be plethoric by indulgence, while he was wasting away in a settled consumption.

In the summer of 1815 he was scarcely able to walk; but he was not in the slightest degree disturbed by the approach of death, and his nature seemed to wholly change. All soreness left him, all wounds of pride were healed. The diseases of his disposition and fancy passed away. A pure serenity of soul—a high and holy feeling, full of philanthropy and devotion, beamed from his sunken eye, and spoke in every aspiration. All his enmities were forgotten, and injuries forgiven. His friendships glowed with new life. As the hand of death pressed harder upon his brow, hope and joy beamed brighter in his countenance, free from all doubt or fear. He died May 6, 1816, and lies buried in his native town.

NOTES.

Abigail, daughter of — and Abigail Allin, baptized Oct. 14, 1705.—*Salem Village church records.*

Abigail and Anna, daughters of Abigail Allen, baptized "at age" Nov. 12, 1710.—*First church, Salem, records.*

ANNIS GENEALOGY.

The name of ANNIS is also spelled in the Essex county records *Anes, Aness, Anies, Aniss, Annes, Annice, Annies, Annise and Anniss.*

The first of the name in the county was CURMAC *alias* CHARLES ANNIS¹, whom Coffin says came from Enniskelen, Ireland, where he was born in 1638. He was a planter, and lived in Newbury, being there in 1666. He married Sarah Chase May 15, 1666; and died Dec. 19, 1717. She survived him, and died before 1726.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 2—I. JOSEPH², b. about 1666. *See below (2).*
- 3—II. ABRAHAM², b. Aug. 18, 1668. *See below (3).*
- 4—III. AQUILLA², b. June 6, 1670; d. April 17, 1672.
- 5—IV. ISAAC², b. April 12, 1672. *See below (5).*
- 6—V. SARAH², m. Orlando Bagley of Amesbury (pub. March 25, 1704); and both were living in 1726.
- 7—VI. PRISCILLA², b. Nov. 8, 1677; m. William Godfrey before 1706; and both were living in 1726.
- 8—VII. HANNAH², b. Nov. 15, 1679; m. Ephraim Weed before 1706; and both were living in 1726.
- 9—VIII. ANNE², b. Dec. 28, 1681; m. George Worthen before 1706; and they were living in 1726. "Hannah Annis of Newbury published to Thomas Worthen of Amesbury May 11, 1700."—*Town records.*

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JOSEPH ANNIS², born about 1666. He was a weaver, and lived in his father's house in Newbury. He married Dorothy — before 1692; and she died in Newbury March 8, 1740. He died there Aug. 12, 1758, aged ninety-two.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 10—I. DOROTHY³, b. Nov. 1, 1692; lived in Newbury; and d., unmarried, in 1763.
- 11—II. SARAH³, b. March 14, 1694; m. — Keyes; and d. before 1759.
- 12—III. AQUILLA³, b. June 14, 1695.
- 13—IV. JONATHAN³, b. Jan. 1, 1696-7.
- 14—V. HANNAH³, b. Nov. 19, 1698; m. — Easmond before 1759.
- 15—VI. ABIGAIL³, b. Sept. 25, 1700; m. Robert Cochran (Coffin?) of Newbury Dec. 7, 1727; and d. before 1759.

- 16—VII. JOSEPH³, b. Jan. 14, 1702-3; husbandman; lived in Newbury; and d. Dec. 5, 1750.
- 17—VIII. CHRISTOPHER³, b. Aug. —, 1704. *See below (17).*
- 18—IX. CHARLES³, b. Feb. 15, 1705-6.
- 19—X. ESTHER³, d., unmarried, in Newbury, May 13, 1762.
- 20—XI. PRISCILLA³, m. Peter Merrill of Newbury before 1749; and they were both living in 1759.

3

ABRAHAM ANNIS², born in Newbury Aug. 18, 1668. He was a weaver and husbandman; and lived in Newbury until 1736, when he bought one hundred acres of land in Haverhill, whither he removed the next year, selling his house and land in Newbury. When the State line was run, in 1741, his farm was brought into Salem, N. H., and he afterward lived there. Haverhill was thus divided into two parts, the northern being called for a few years subsequently "Haverhill in New Hampshire." Mr. Annis married Hannah — before 1693-4.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 21—I. CHARLES³, b. Feb. 10, 1693-4. *See below (21).*
- 22—II. ELIZABETH³, b. in 1695.
- 23—III. HANNAH³, b. March 20, 1698; m. Benjamin Rawlins of Newbury Nov. 20, 1716.
- 24—IV. JOHN³, b. May 1, 1700. *See below (24).*
- 25—V. STEPHEN³, b. Feb. 1, 1701-2.
- 26—VI. SARAH³, b. Sept. 9, 1703.
- 27—VII. ABRAHAM³, b. March 4, 1708. *See below (27).*
- 28—VIII. DANIEL³, b. Dec. 1, 1711; m. Catherine Thomas of Newbury Aug. 1, 1732; and probably lived in Methuen, yeoman, in 1741.
- 29—IX. TABITHA³, b. March 5, 1713; m. Daniel Woodman of Newbury March 9, 1737-8.
- 30—X. ANNE³, b. June 21, 1715.

5

ISAAC ANNIS², born in Newbury April 12, 1672. He lived in Newbury, on the north side of the Bradford road, east of the Artichoke river. He was living in 1706; and administration was granted on his estate Oct. 2, 1712. His wife Rebecca survived him; and married, secondly, Shimuel Griffin of Newbury Nov.

16, 1716. They were both living in 1749. Children, born in Newbury:—

- 31—I. MARY³, b. March 22, 1700-1; m. George Stoning of Salem Jan. 1, 1723-4.
- 32—II. ELEANOR³, b. Jan. 24, 1701-2; m., first, Robert Long, a cooper, of Newbury, May 19, 1724; and, second, — Watson; and died in Newbury May 15, 1774.
- 33—III. JANE³, b. before 1704; upward of fourteen years old in 1717.
- 34—IV. ISAAC³, b. Jan. 3, 1703-4. *See below (34).*
- 35—V. PRISCILLA³, b. Nov. 1, 1706; lived in Newbury, unmarried, in 1727.
- 36—VI. KEZIA³, b. May 1, 1711; m. Nathaniel Cheney of Newbury Oct. 25, 1733; and both were living in Newbury in 1749.

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CHRISTOPHER ANNIS³, born in Newbury Aug. —, 1704. He was a cordwainer; and lived in Newbury. He married Ruth —; and died before 1756. She married, secondly, Samuel Davis Oct. 28, 1756; and was living in 1761.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 37—I. RUTH⁴, b. July 12, 1733; d. Aug. 12, 1736.
- 38—II. MARY⁴, b. Nov. —, 1735; adjudged *non compos mentis* in 1759; and was living in 1771, when she had the small pox. Probably never married.
- 39—III. RUTH⁴, b. Oct. 8, 1738; m. Samuel Emery, a yeoman, Nov. 25, 1760; and both were living in 1764.
- 40—IV. DOROTHY⁴, b. March 31, 1743; living, unmarried, in 1764; m. Nathan Ordway July 12, 1768.

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CHARLES ANNIS³, born in Newbury Feb. 10, 1693-4. He married Mary Morrison of Newbury Oct. 18, 1716.

Child, born in Newbury:—

- 41—I. NEHEMIAH⁴, b. April 5, 1717.

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JOHN ANNIS³, born in Newbury May 1, 1700. He was a cordwainer; and lived in Newbury until 1732, when he sold out and removed to Haverhill, where he was living in 1741. He was of Bradford, husbandman, in 1750 and 1754, and a cordwainer in 1760. He returned to Newbury in 1760, and was living there in

1770. He married Abigail Rolfe of Bradford Dec. 16, 1724; and she was his wife in 1770.

Children:—

- 42—I. EZRA⁴, b. March 25, 1726, in Newbury.
See below (42).
- 43—II. SARAH⁴, b. June 12, 1729, in Newbury; probably d. young.
- 44—III. SARAH⁴, b. May 22, 1730-1, in Amesbury; probably m. Thomas Mitchel Jan. 18, 1756.
- 45—IV. ROLFE⁴, b. Dec. 21, 1734, in Haverhill. *See below (45).*
- 46—V. JOHN⁴, b. Feb. 22, 1736-7, in Haverhill.
- 47—VI. CHARLES⁴, b. March 10, 1738-9, in Haverhill.
- 48—VII. JACOB⁴, b. Aug. 11, 1741, in Haverhill; yeoman; lived in Andover; and married Molly Haggitt of Andover before 1764.
- 49—VIII. JAMES⁴, b. Sept. 9, 1743, in Bradford.
See below (49).
- 50—IX. JESSE⁴, b. Aug. 8, 1745, in Bradford.
See below (50).
- 51—X. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Sept. 9, 1747, in Bradford.

27

ABRAHAM ANNIS³, born in Newbury March 4, 1708. He was a potter; and lived on the north side of the Bradford road, east of the Artichoke river, in Newbury, until 1737, when he sold his house and pottery and removed to Haverhill. When the State line was run, four years later, he was set off to Salem, N. H. He married, first, Abigail Sawyer of Newbury Dec. 11, 1735. She died Sept. 26, 1741; and he married, second, Mary Hilton Dec. 28, 1742. She was living in 1750, and he in 1767.

Children, born in Haverhill:—

- 52—I. ELIZABETH⁴, b. May 18, 1736; probably m. John Swaddock Corliss of Haverhill Jan. 28, 1762; and d. Oct. 8, 1805.
- 53—II. STEPHEN⁴, b. May 28, 1738; was probably a mariner and cooper, and lived in Middleton, where he died, probably unmarried. Administration was granted on his estate July 10, 1766. He had had the small pox.
- 54—III. ABIGAIL⁴, b. June 28, 1740.

34

ISAAC ANNIS³, born in Newbury Jan. 3, 1703-4. He was a joiner, and upon his marriage settled in Gloucester. He married Experience Haraden Jan. —, 1729-30.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 55—I. EXPERIENCE⁴, b. Jan. 29, 1730-1; m. — Herrin before 1764.
- 56—II. ISAAC⁴, b. March 28, 1733; probably d. young.
- 57—III. DELIVERANCE⁴, b. Nov. 7, 1735; m. — Jostling before 1764.
- 58—IV. SARAH⁴, b. Jan. 23, 1737-8; m. — Robson before 1764.
- 59—V. DANIEL⁴, b. May 16, 1740; living in 1764.
- 60—VI. MARK⁴, b. Feb. —, 1741-2; mariner; lived in Gloucester; d., without children, apparently unmarried; and administration was granted on his estate Nov. 19, 1764.
- 61—VII. ESTHER⁴, b. Sept. 15, 1743; probably m. Henry White June 7, 1774.
- 62—VIII. EBENEZER⁴, bapt. Aug. —, 1745; d. young.
- 63—IX. EBENEZER⁴, b. Feb. 18, 1747. *See below (63).*

42

EZRA ANNIS⁴, born in Newbury March 25, 1726. He was a yeoman; and lived in Bradford in 1754, and in Andover in 1757 and 1782. He married Sarah Long* Dec. 20, 1752; and she was his wife in 1782.

Children:—

- 64—I. PHINEAS⁵, b. May 22, 1753, in Bradford; joiner; lived in Tewksbury in 1778 and 1781; married Hannah Griffin of Tewksbury (pub. April 6, 1774); and she was his wife in 1781.
- 65—II. EZRA⁵, b. Nov. 3, 1754, in Bradford; m. Edner Bailey of Tewksbury Nov. 26, 1778.
- 66—III. RUTH⁵, b. March 22, 1757, in Andover; pub. to Eliakim Walker of Tewksbury Sept. 26, 1778.
- 67—IV. SARAH⁵, b. Nov. 28, 1759, in Andover; pub. to Josiah Jones Feb. 23, 1779.
- 68—V. ELEANOR⁵, b. Aug. 12, 1760, in Andover.
- 69—VI. JACOB⁵, b. Feb. 26, 1763, in Andover; pub. to Abigail Fowler of Andover in 1787; and lived in —ford, Vt.
- 70—VII. JOHN⁵, b. Aug. 20, 1764, in Andover; soldier in the Revolution.
- 71—VIII. JAMES⁵, b. Feb. 10, 1770, in Andover.

45

ROLFE ANNIS⁴, born in Haverhill Dec. 21, 1734. He married Sarah Rawlings Sept. 1, 1757; and lived in Bradford.

Children, born in Bradford:—

*Called daughter of Moses Haggitt of Andover.

- 72—I. BENJAMIN^s, b. Oct. 20, 1758.
 73—II. ISAAC^s, b. Nov. —, 1759; probably d.
 in Revolution Oct. 16, 1780.

49

JAMES ANNIS^t, born in Bradford Sept. 9, 1743. He married Beulah —, and lived in Andover.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 74—I. DIADAMA^s, b. April 22, 1771.
 75—II. JAMES^s, b. Jan. 25, 1774.
 76—III. BEULAH^s, b. Sept. 22, 1775.

50

JESSE ANNIS^t, born in Bradford Aug. 8, 1745. He lived in Methuen, and married Sarah —, who died June 11, 1766, aged eighteen.

Child, born in Methuen:—

- 77—I. JOSEPH^s, b. May 15, 1766.

63

EBENEZER ANNIS^t, born in Gloucester Feb. 18, 1747. He lived in Gloucester; and married Lois Lane Nov. 5, 1767.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 78—I. LOIS^s, bapt. April 2, 1769.
 79—II. MARK^s, bapt. Nov. 26, 1769; d. young.
 80—III. ESTHER^s, bapt. June 13, 1773; m.
 Richard Grover Pew Oct. —, 1791.
 81—IV. LYDIA^s, bapt. March 29, 1777.
 82—V. EBENEZER^s, b. April 24, 1779.
 83—VI. MARK^s, b. Oct. 7, 1780.

WILL OF THOMAS NELSON.

The will of Thomas Nelson of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court 26: 1: 1650. The witnesses to the schedule were probably sworn in England. The following copy is taken from the record in Ipswich Deeds, volume I, leaf 72.

I Thomas Nelson of Rowlay in the Countie of Essex (in New England) beeing by providence Called now to make a uoyage into old England, not knowing what may be fall me there in (vpon feuerall Considerations) dispose of & settle the estate which god hath giuen mee (by way of will) in manner and forme following. Inprimis I giue vnto my beloued wife Joane for her naturall life, my mill, mill house with the appurtenances scituate & being within the limits of Rowley: & all that ground (neere unto the said mill)

which was lately in the occupation of Joseph wormehill, & all that my vpland & meadow (or other ground) which lyeth betweene Rowley Oxe-Pasture on one pte, the Comon on another pte, & the mill river, & the brooke that goeth from the towne on the other pte thereof, all which land or ground Conteineth by estimation fiftie acres be it more or lesse. puided she make no other Claime to any other parte of my howses, lands, tenements, heriditaments and appurtinances. Item I giue her two acres of ground during her naturall life in the pond feild next m^r Rogers leaueing out the pond to build her an house on. The remainder or reuerfion of which mill land and premiffes & all other my houses, lands, tenements, and heriditaments I giue amongst my Children & to their heires as well that Child which my wife is with all, as the rest. Item I giue & bequeath to my eldest sonne Phillip Nelson a double portion, & to my sonne Thomas Nelson, & my Daughter mercie Nelson & the Child or Children she is withall there equall pts. puided if any of them die before they Come to the age of twentie & one yeers, or marriage, then there pts to be equally deuided amongst the suruiueing Children. Item my will is that Richard Bellingham Esquire, & my honored Vncle Richard Dumer Gent. shall haue the education of my sonne Phillip Nelson & Thomas Nelson & the proportion of their estates both of lands & goods for their education & maintenance till they Come to Twenty one yeers, & then they to receiue their estates, & the ouerplus aboute their maintenance giueing a sufficient discharge. Item that my will is that my wife & my vncle Richard Dumer shall haue the education of my daughter mercie Nelson, & the other child my wife is withall, & the proportion of their estates both of lands & goods for their education & maintenance till they marry & then they to receiue their estates & the ouerplusse aboute their maintenance giueing a sufficient discharge. Item I giue & bequeathe to my wife (Joane) foure Choife Cowes, one Choife

mare, & ten pounds to build her a house. Item I give to my sone Phillip Nelson ten pounds which was given him by my aunt Katherin Withars, & is in my hands, & his plate marked with his owne name P. N. & to my fecond sone Thomas Nelson a wine bowle, & one spoone, all the rest of my psonall estate my debts being paid I give vnto my Children to be devided as aboue onely my eldest sone Phillip to have a double portion. Item I make m^r Richard Bellingham & my vncle Richard Dumer my executors of this my last will & testament. & my desire is, & I wold intreate m^r Ezekiel Rogers of Rowley, & m^r John Norton of Ipswich to be my ouerseers, & my mind further is if any differances arise Concerning this my last will & testament my ouerseers shall have the heareing & deciding of the same. Item I give unto my wife all her apparrell, her Chest, boxe, A Bed and ffurniture, & a Siluer Beaker. December 24 : 1645. Sealed Signed & deliuered

in the pefence of

Jeremy Howchin Tho : Nelson

Ezekiel Northene And a feale

A Schedule to be Annexed to the will of T. Nelson.

These are to Certify all whom it any ways may Concerne, that I Thomas Nelson, about to returne to Rowland in New England, being at present sick in body but enioying vnderstanding & memory, as formerly, doe by these presents testify my confiring of my last will & testament which I made & left in Newengland with my wiues vncle m^r Richard Dumer : onely with addition of these purso's. first that my yougest child Samuell Nelson, being born since that will was made, & if my wife be now with Child, & shall bring forth a Child, that Samuell, & this then, (my will is,) may enioy A Child's portion pportionable to the rest of my Children. my eldest enioying a double portion as is mentioned in that will; or if there can be more done for her.

Also I earnestly desire of o^r reuerend Pastor, & Elder m^r Rogers, & of that whole Church of Rowley, that they may

not mistake themselves Concerning the eleven pounds, & the Seuenteen pounds which I paid to Goodman Seatchwell, for his farme; & I did not give these in with other monies that I laid out for the Plantation : Left this being a wrong to mee, be to their greefe at the Day of Iesus Christ. as also fiteene pound paid to m^r Carletons hundred pound which I ought not to pay. This I entreate them seriously to lay to hart, & righting me in all these pticulars. witness my hand, the first Day of p^rextilis here Caled August, 1648.

Testified as his act & deede,
and subscribed by him in the
pference of us witneses

Henry Jacie alias Jese,

Daniell Elly

Tho : Nelson

his D mark.

Sarah Appleyard

her N marke.

SALEM QUARTERLY COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, 29 : 7 : 1640.

Present : Colonel Endecott, Jn^o Humphrey, esq., Emanuel Downing, Mr. Tho : Willes, Mr. W^m Hathorne and Mr. Edw : Holliock.

John Cooke, servant to Mr. W^m Clark of Salem, to be severely whipped and have a shackle put upon his leg for resisting his master's authority, for most desperate speeches touching his appearance in court, pointing his hand at his side saying, "You shall see a hole here first," & if he were in hell he should have more company, for theft, etc. Mr. Clark and sister Clark testified that they were in danger of their lives, and fearful of their children in point of lust. John Pearce, Mr. Batter's man, counselled him not to take correction from his master. Pearce was sent for.

Marmeducke Barton, servant to John Horne, for running away and pilfering, to be severely whipped.

Mary Boutwell (also, Boudwell) of Lynn, for not working, and living idly and stealing, "taking away oth^{rs} victuals

p^rtending Comunitie of all things," sentenced to be whipped, but through clemency only admonished. Her brother testified against her.

Captain Traske admonished to be more careful about grinding and toll-taking. Rich^r Inkersell testified that he had grists weighed before Lawrence Leech, a grand-juryman, before they went to mill, and when they came back they were much short of weight, besides being badly ground. Others testified.

Allen Howe and William Reeves to answer at Boston for misdemeanors.

Robert Adames to be set by the heels in the stocks for being uncharitable to a poor man in distress, taking his canoe, for charging court with injustice, etc. Ric^r Roots testified against him.

Jn^o More, Joseph Garlick and —— Barton for slandering John Hardy, etc., continued.

Willia Bowdish, summoned as a witness by John Stone, to have his fees.

John White to be paid for goods stolen from him by James Smith, jr. Warrant delivered to Jn^o Woodbury.

Jury: Lt. Davenport, foreman, John Alderman, Robt Molton, John Woodbury, Peter Palfrey, Henry Bartholomewe, Tho: Laythorpe, Tho: Smith, Boniface Burton, Joseph floyd, ffrances Lighfoote (also, Lightfoote) and Henry Collins, the last four being of Lynn.

Civil cases:—

Jacob Barney v. Richard Inkersell. Feeding cattle in his marsh. Verdict: Two loads of hay at water side.

John Bradshawe v. "y^e wo^rp^l Tho: Willes."

John Checkley v. Josias Standborow, who promises to pay Mrs. ffitney.

Thomas Ruck, Willia Brown, Benjamin ffelton and Thomas Dixie v. Henry Skerry, Thomas Olliver, et ali., for not making a fence on Darbie fort side. Mr. Humphreys promised to find posts and rails and begin to place them this winter. Witnesses: Robt Goodell, Edw: Ingeram, Tho: Dixie, Peter Palfrey, Cp Traske, Jn^o Woodbury, Geo: Inkersell and Edw:

Giles. Mr. Humphrey's sureties were Henry Stephens and Wⁿ Williams.

Michael Spencer v. John Pickering. Defamation.

Robt Isbell v. Ens. Tho: Reade. Mr. Gardener to be paid by plaintiff for waiting at court.

Joshua Verrin v. Richard Inkersell.

Timothy Tomlins v. John Pickering. Defamation. Defendant is fined and "in fome publik meeting att Lynn before next Court * * fhall publiklie acknowledge the wronge done y^e fd Tomlins," etc. Wⁿ Knight and wife testified that Tomlins was very affectionate, etc.

John Bartall v. Allen Yew (also, Yewe). Plaintiff said defendant was drunk and fought. Attachment of defendant's boat ordered, in custody of Jn^o Goit.

Robt Adams v. John Skudder.

ffrancis Laufse v. Robt Isbell and Willia Wake. "bro: Tho: Smith" said that Lynn men and Tho: Laythrop and Mr. Bartho: received money.

Tho: Ruck v. John Abbie.

George Norton v. Rich: Hollinworth.

Wⁿ Browne v. Rich: Hollinworth.

Tho: Odingfalls v. Jn^o Webster.

John Stone v. Jn^o Thorndike. Defamation.

Wⁿ Clarke v. Ens. Tho: Reade.

Jn^o Thorndik v. John Stone.

Wⁿ Vinsent v. Jn^o Holgrave.

Tho: Olliver v. Jn^o Pride.

Robt Tike v. Samuell Archer. Defamation. 2 cases.

Elin Codd v. W^m Pester.

Sam: Archer vs. Robt Tike.

Jn^o Sibley v. James Smith, jr.

William Lord for Thomas Burwood and Christopher Berry, who "went for Ould England," moves and court orders that John Woodbury and Peter Palfrey measure one-half acre of land at Thomas Olliver's new house.

"The Court sent a warrant to m^r Stephens."

Depositions of Wm. Made about Mr. Read, of Mr. Corwin about Mr. Standborow, of Tho: Sislsbee and Tho: James referred to.

A committee to be chosen to consider about a field to be enclosed "about m^r Peters etc."

Court, 29 : 10 : 1640.

Present : Colonel Endecott, Jn^o Humphreys, esq., Emanuell Downing, esq., Mr. Willia Hathorne and Mr. Edw : Hollocke.

George Inkersell fined for making a mistake in a deposition.

Joseph Garlick slandered John Hardy by saying that he heard Benjamin Hammon, Hardy's servant, say that he heard Hardy swear and curse and beat his man. Garlick was discharged and Hammon was sentenced to serve Hardy twelve months longer.

Nicholas Pacie and wife Katherin made confession in writing about a marriage contract.

[Nicholas Pacy confessed that he knew of his wife's promise to marry Marke Virmass of Salem when he married her, and is sorry that he did not respect it. His wife Katharn confessed that she has been troubled in her conscience about it since her marriage, and has sinned in denying conjugal respects unto her husband because of her scruples.—*Files.*]

John Cock recognizes to appear in court.

Mr. flog is ordered to attach for fines.

Joseph Hermitage fined 5s. for absence as juror.

Jury : Lieft. Davenport, foreman, Jacob Barney, Jefferey Massy, Henry Bartholomew, Lawrence Leech, Edm : Batter, Tho : Gardener, John Alderman, Peter Palfrey, Nicholas Browne, Richard Walker and George Keasar [the last three being of Lynn]. Mr. Garford was constable for the jury. Joseph Hermitage of Lynn is mentioned.

Civil cases :

Thomas Olliver v. Charls Turner. For rent of house and cellar.

"The worp¹ Jn^o Humphreys" v. John Holgrave. About salt.

Review of cases of Josua Verrin, Richard Inkersell and Edw : Giles.

Walter Knight v. Ric^t Cook.

William Bowdish v. John Norman. About service of a warrant at Jeffrey's Creek.

Daniell ffairefield v. Zacheus Gould.

John Bartall v. Jn^o Legg and Tho. Sams. Referred to Mr. fflowle, et.

Marmeduke Barton, Lydia Gouge and Mrs. Holge^t examined touching salt. Mr. Humphreys was satisfied.

John More testified against Benjamin Hamon, who lived, as he said, with Lieft. Howe, "for now he works night & day, etc."

Lanclet West testified in the matter of hogs in the corn, etc. Also, Henry Stephens, Jn^o flute and W^m Willia. They met "Daniell" with turnips, etc. Also, John Hodshen.

W^a Woodbury v. W^a Jyyls.

Thomas Ashley. Mr. Adis.

Mathew Banck de Huberd. Lynn bounds.

Tho : Dexter, jr. v. W^a Dex : & agt. W. Dutch v. Ashley.

Jn^o fairfield.

Tho : Gray was sick. James Grover.

W^a Harp.

James Hubberd.

An order de Dearman Mathew, Mr.

Tho : Millard. See Ashley's ac^o

Mr. Otley & Derma.

Walter Price de W & Invoye. Paine v^{ide} Roaps.

Geo : Roaps fro. Mr. Paine.

Singlman drunk, Nicho : Shapley discharge. Mr. Sam^l Smith will.

Mr. Sadler de Ashly. de Swamp.

Mr. W^a Ting vide Ashley's ac^o p Mr. Thompson.

Edw. Tomlins hath James Grover prentis.

Mr. Heugwalter & Dearma. Widow Woodbury order de will.

Court, 30 : 1 : 1641.

Present : Collonell Endecott, Jn^o Humphreys, esq., Mr. Em : Downing, Mr. W^a Hathorne, Mr. Edw : Holloock and Mr. Tho : Willes.

James Smith, jr., for stealing two fishing lines, to return twice as many lines and pay 20s. for loss of owners' time.

"Thomas South is in regard of his adge etc. exempted fro Trayning paying 5^s p Ann to this Court and freed fro his former fines."

Ric^r fflower fined for reproachful speeches concerning church discipline, on complaint of Obediah Holmes.

Ruben Guppi to be severely whipped "for running away to the Eftward fro his wyfe great wth Childe; for ftealing & Blaffemie Lying & fwearing etc.," on complaint of Wm. Vincent. Robt Pease complained that Guppi had stolen his axe. Sargeant Dixie had seen a hen in Guppi's breeches. Samuell fuller and Robt fuller testified that they went to Guppi's house, and Guppi said that the parings of his nails and a chip were as acceptable to God as the day of thanksgiving. He also swore.

W^a Poole having stolen stockings from Tho: Rood and taken away a canoe of Mr. Emereye, is ordered to return the stockings and be whipped for lying.

Wilia Bowdish fined for misinforming the court and causing Jn^o Stone to be unjustly fined.

Georg Williams' apprentice boy Mathew Jellet to serve him two years longer: but as Francis Perry deposed that the apprenticeship was only for seven years and to end in March the court "freed the youth" who agreed to serve his master six months longer, which the court agreed to.

Hugh Browne's wife, for breaking his head and threatening that she would kill him, so that he is even weary of his life, throwing stones at him, causing his face to bleed, calling him beast, and wishing he might never come home, to be severely whipped. She annoyed the neighbors, also. Wit: Goody Harwood and Goody Nixon, who saw them scuffling together.

William Wake "was fo vaine as to defame m^r Peflor on fo fleight grounds."

Goodman Auger is ordered to call a general town meeting the second day of the week to see about a free school.

Accounts of Widow Baker and Nathaneell Pittman, and depositions relating to them, examined.

Mr. ffreind's damage in his corn through default of his fences. Fences to be repaired. "Meeting house" is mentioned.

Jury: Henry Bartholomew, foreman, John Woodbury, Thomas Lothrop, John Gedney, Peter Palfrey, Elias Stilman, William Knight, Nicholas Potter Thomas Towenshend, John Ramsdall, Thomas Parker and Jenkin Davis.

Civil cases:—

John Bartall v. John Legg and Tho: Sams, which was referred to Mr. frouls. Mr. Downing promised to see the matter ended.

Ric^r Hollinworth v. Edmund Woodley. William Pester v. Ann Pigdon and Willa Wake. Defamation. Wit: Goody James, W^a. James, Mrs. Goose, Charls Turner and Robt Henfield.

Mathew Williams v. Susan Greene vidues. Jn^o Woodbury to end the business.

William Fisk v. Mathew Waler. For house rent, "breaking of the axes to anfw^r W^a fifke fervant Loff of tyme." To finish house. ffrauncs Nurce testified about the axe.

Joseph Harrington, servant to Cp Keane v. Thomas Keysar of Lynn.

Georg Williams v. Jn^o Pickworth. Jn^o Horne testified as to agreement between the parties.

ffrauncs Perry v. Jn^o Stone.

Robt Nash v. Walter Knight.

Wn. Pester v. John Stone.

Wn. Pester v. Xptor Lynsey.

The wo^rp^l Emanuell Downing and Edmund Batter v. Wn. Langley de Lynn.

Dierman Mathew v. Nathaneell Tayler. Slander.

Ric^r Graves testified that a certain bill was made a little before he was married.

To be continued.

NOTES.

George Deblois advertises for sale at his shop in Salem, hardware, broad cloths, German serges, Devonshire kersies, drapery, and Colchester baize, Bath frize,

Yorkshire Plains, bed blankets, blue and striped Duffills, striped Camblets for cloaks and riding-hoods, worsted Grogams, Irish linens, wax threads, Shalloons, Tammies, Calamancoes, hosiery, salt petre, etc., wholesale and retail.—*Essex Gazette*, Nov. 29–Dec. 6, 1768.

Ebenezer Allen of Marblehead married Sarah Tittle (Tuttle?) of Beverly Jan. 3, 1779.

Elizabeth Allen published to William Groves, both of Beverly, December 4, 1763.

Tax of Andrew Allen was abated on account of his house he lived in being burned down, 1781.—Feb. 28, 1782.

—*Beverly town records*.

Robert Allen married Hannah McIntire April 20, 1794.—*Andover town records*.

John Allen married Tabitha Trefry, both of Marblehead, March 10, 1765; and had a daughter Tabitha baptized there June 30, 1766; and a son Robert, Aug. 19, 1770.

John Allen married Jane Gilbert, both of Marblehead, Sept. 16, 1765; and had a daughter Jane baptized there Dec. 17, 1769; and two daughters named Elizabeth, one baptized March 1, 1772, and the other Jan. 30, 1774. John Allen married Elizabeth Card, both of Marblehead, Dec. 18, 1740; and had the following children baptized there: Mary, Sept. 20, 1741; John, Sept. 4, 1743; James, Oct. 27, 1745; Elizabeth, May 10, 1747; James, Sept. 10, 1749; Susanna, Aug. 30, 1752; Susanna, May 18, 1755; Thomas, Sept. 11, 1757; William, Nov. 25, 1759; and Benjamin, Nov. 21, 1762.

Ebenezer Allen born Nov. 29, 1776.

Miriam Allen married John Bird, both of Marblehead, Feb. 24, 1708.

William Allen married Mrs. Mary Stennis, both of Marblehead, Dec. 7, 1788.

Ambrose Allen married Mary Christie, both of Marblehead, Feb. 28, 1792.

Mary Allen married Joseph Bruce, both of Marblehead, Nov. 10, 1793.

—*Marblehead town and church records*.

George Allen of Lynn, 1636; removed next year to Sandwich: was representa-

tive; 1641 and 1642 at Plymouth. He was buried May 2, 1648; and his will mentions sons Matthew, Henry, Samuel and William, and "5 least" children unnamed; and wife Catherine, executrix.

John Allen of Marblehead, 1668, may have been of Salem twenty years later.

Timothy Allen of Marblehead, 1648, may have lived at Norwich, 1670.

—*Savage*.

Samuel Allen of Manchester, 1659, and juryman in Salem court, 1666.

Timothy Allen of Marblehead, 1645; and was in Salem court, 1654.

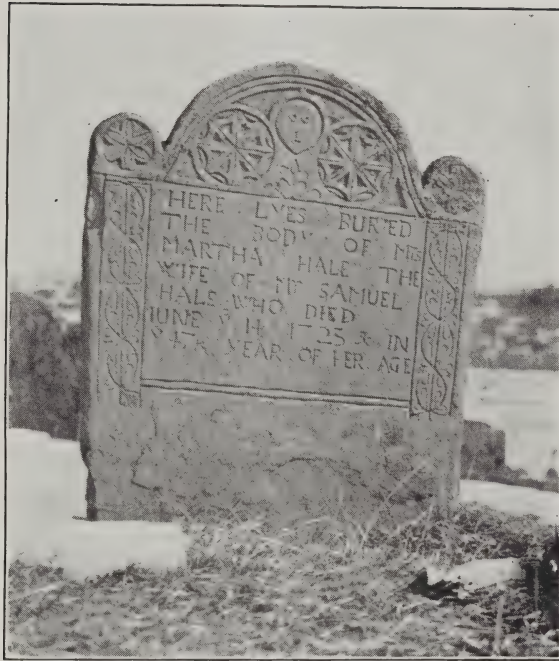
—*Salem quarterly court records*.

Jonathan, son of Jonathan, 3d, and Sarah Allen, born Oct. 23, 1766.

Anna Allen, daughter of John Allen, jr., and Anna Leach, born Dec. 31, 1758.

—*Manchester town records*.

Capt. Edward Allen, born about 1735, came from Berwick-upon-Tweed, England, and settled in Salem, Mass., in 1757. He was a mariner, and subsequently a merchant. He married first, Ruth (Hodges), widow of Israel Gardner, of Salem, Jan. 18, 1759. She died in October, 1774, being buried the tenth. He married, second, Margaret Lockhart of North Carolina in 1778; and died July 27, 1803, aged sixty-eight. She survived him, and died Aug. 13, 1808, of intermittent fever, aged fifty-four. Children: 1. Mary. 2. Edward, married Anna Fisk Oct. 2, 1798; and died at St. Michael, Azores, Dec. 5, 1845, aged eighty-two. She died March 4, 1826. 3. Ruth, married Thomas Porter of Topsfield Dec. 29, 1785. 4. Alice, married Capt. Josiah Orne of Salem June 18, 1786; and he died Sept. 23, 1825. 5. Alexander (twin with John); drowned at sea, 1804, aged twenty-six. 6. John (twin with Alexander), died Jan. 16, 1814, aged thirty-five. 7. Sally, died of throat distemper Nov. 1, 1787, aged seven. 8. Jordan Lockhart, drowned near Cape of Good Hope Oct. 19, 1797, aged sixteen. 9. Nancy, died April 18, 1806, aged twenty-two. 10. Betsey, baptized Oct. 14, 1787; died, unmarried, July -, 1827.



HALE GRAVESTONE, GROVELAND.

11. Henry, baptized July 25, 1790; was a mariner. 12. Sally, baptized April 5, 1792; living in Salem in 1825.—*Salem town and church records, Probate records.*

John Allen married Sarah Buttolph, both of Salem, Nov. 18, 1713.

—*Salem town records.*

Lewis Allin (born July 26, 1794) married Nabby Kent Hooper (born Oct. 27, 1794) June 9, 1817.

Jonathan Allen, by his wife, Debby, had the following children: Nancy, born July 20, 1797; George B., born Oct. 7, 1798, in Taunton; Charles L., born Nov. 1, 1800, in Danvers; Eliza, born June 5, 1802, in Danvers; and William, born Sept. 20, 1804, in Danvers.

—*Danvers town records.*

William Allen, cooper, lived in Salem Village, 1695-1701; married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Small of Salem, March -, 1695; and had the following children born in Salem Village: Joseph, born Dec. 14, 1696; Elizabeth, Feb. 18, 1697-8; William, born Nov. 4, 1700, baptized Aug. 25, 1700; Sarah, born Dec. 14, 1702, baptized June 28, 1702; Lydia, born April 6, 1705; and Amos, baptized May 18, 1707.—*Salem town and Village church records, and Registry of deeds.*

Davis Allen of Beverly published to Mary Tredwell of Ipswich Aug. 21, 1768.

Davis Allen of Beverly married Betsey Porter of Wenham Nov. 27, 1798.

Abigail Allen, published to Nehemiah Presson of Beverly Aug. 19, 1744.

Sarah Allen married James Richardson, both of Beverly, May 9, 1782.

Joanna Allen published to Titus Standley, both of Beverly, May 30, 1748.

Hannah Allen published to James Batchelder, both of Beverly, Aug. 6, 1748.

Saul Allen. published to Job Smith, both of Beverly, Sept. 23, 1750.

Abigail Allen published to Edward Woodbury, both of Beverly, Dec. 2, 1753.

Abigail Allen published to Andrew Bowen, both of Beverly, Oct. 28, 1758.

—*Beverly town records.*

Administration granted on estate of John Allen of Newbury, 1709-10. He died Dec. -, 1709.—*Probate records.*

Mary Allen of Lynn published to James Cheever, jr., of Salem Dec. 20, 1746.—*Lynn town records.*

George Riggs of Gloucester appointed guardian of Andrew Allen, overfourteen years old, son of Benjamin Allen of Gloucester, deceased, Feb. 25, 1755.—*Probate records.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

243. Requested, the ancestry of Sarah Mitchell (both parents), wife of Peter Ayer. She died in 1776. A.

Norfolk, Va.

244. Wanted, ancestry of Dorcas Emmerson, wife of Amos Wheeler. Amos Wheeler was born in 1767. A.

245. Was Samuel Ayer, who married Elizabeth Tuttle Nov. 21, 1693, the son of Robert or Peter Ayer? A.

246. Whose son was Samuel Ayer who was killed in the French and Indian war in 1708? A.

247. "Anthony Potter married Elizabeth Whipple, born about 1629 to Dea. John and Sarah." On what authority is Elizabeth's mother called Sarah?

Portsmouth, N. H.

A. B. P.

248. Wanted, ancestry of Rachel (Foster) of Cape Ann, born about 1717, married Enoch Boynton⁴ in 1747. A. B. B.

West Newbury.

249. Wanted, ancestry of Abigail (Tarring) of Manchester, Mass., who married Enoch Boynton⁵, March, 1771. She was connected with Lees and Allens.

A. B. B.

250. Wanted, ancestry of Mary, wife of Samuel Colcord² of Hampton, N. H.

A. B. B.

251. Wanted, ancestry of wife of Jonathan Colcord³, son of Samuel, and born, 1684.

A. B. B.

252. Wanted, ancestry of Susanna, wife of Dea. John Collins of Salisbury, N. H., who married, secondly, Jacc'

Gale, sr. They settled in Kingston, N. H. Susannah was born Aug. 5, 1719. Jacob, jr., born, 1736. What was the date of marriage of Jacob and Susanna (Collins) Gale?

A. B. B.

ANSWERS.

141. James Robbins lived in Boston, and was a mariner. He married Deborah, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Osgood) Balch, July 4, 1740. She was born in Boston Sept. 8, 1719. He died about 1749, his widow Deborah being appointed administratrix of his estate Dec. 30, 1749. Mrs. Robbins' parents were married by Cotton Mather Oct. 23, 1712, and were both deceased in 1753, having resided on Prince street, in the northerly part of Boston. After 1801 Mrs. Robbins removed to Bradford, probably living with her daughter, Mrs. Deborah Day, and died there Dec. 23, 1810, aged ninety-one, having been a widow sixty-one years.—*Ed.*

238. Timothy Dustin, youngest son of Hannah Dustin, settled in his native town of Haverhill, Mass.—*Ed.*

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